

PLAQUE CONTROL MEANS ENORMOUS TASK FOR CITIES

National Red Cross May Be Asked to Aid Fight to Check Epidemic if Situation Fails to Improve—Railroads Ask Health Cards from Child Travelers.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, July 8.—Appeals to the National Red Cross for assistance in fighting the epidemic of infantile paralysis will be made unless there is a marked improvement in the plague situation during the next two days. Such an improvement is not confidently hoped for by the local authorities.

The plague has spread to eleven states and Canada and the heat wave now existing over the greater part of the country threatens to cause a still larger increase than has been noted in the last few days.

The death rate of 23 per cent which has thus far marked the progress of the epidemic, shows, according to New York officials, that the task of controlling the plague will be an enormous one. The ambulances at the disposal of the New York health department have proved inadequate because of the large number of cases found here and as a result eleven automobiles commandeered from other city departments were pressed into service today.

Six epidemiology experts ordered here from Washington by the Federal authorities will begin field work as soon as they have conferred with the local health officers. It will be the task of these experts to ascertain how the disease is transmitted.

Following their action in barring from moving picture theatres all children under sixteen, the authorities have also shut the juvenile reading rooms at the public libraries and closed sixteen street playgrounds. They hope these steps will have a deterrent effect on the epidemic, but will take others as they become necessary.

The police department has been pressed into service to compel all residents to keep all garbage cans covered. Fifty persons have already been fined for disobeying the law requiring this precaution.

Many towns about New York are taking active steps to prevent refugees from the epidemic districts passing through their limits. Some towns on Long Island have established a "shotgun" quarantine, armed guards stopping all parties that include children and running them back.

"Certificates of Travel." The railroads are also taking measures to resist disease-bearing little ones from spreading the plague along the lines of travel. The officials of the New York Central announced today that they would not admit groups of "fresh air" children to board their trains until they have been carefully examined for symptoms of infantile paralysis.

The action of the New York Central was decided upon after a conference with Deputy Commissioner L. E. Williams of the state health department. It is estimated that more than 2,000 children were taken out of town by their parents in the last 24 hours.

Federal Experts Active. Washington, July 8.—Telegrams appealing for aid and advice in methods of preventing the outbreak or spread of infantile paralysis today are pouring in on the United States public health service from nearly every state and important city in the Union. State and municipal health authorities, alarmed at the epidemic of the malady in New York city, are eager to take every possible precaution that will forestall outbreaks in their communities.

The health service has a corps of experts at work on the study of the disease and every scrap of knowledge concerning preventive measures that has been gleaned from investigations, past and now going on, is being telegraphed to the health authorities. The public health service feels that no effort should be spared in checking the further spread of the disease.

Considerable apprehension is felt because of the general exodus of parents and children from New York. The service has been informed that persons who are financially able are taking their children out of New York in the hope of escaping all danger. As the infantile paralysis germ is easily communicated, officials fear that the exodus of these persons may introduce the disease in widely and heretofore immune parts of the country.

Summer Exodus Is Bad. Ordinarily infantile paralysis does not spread rapidly from a community where it is epidemic, but on account of the unusual number of persons leaving New York and the hot weather the danger now is a serious one.

Various members of congress representing localities where the outbreak of the disease already has become a serious menace, called on the public health officials today. Representatives Bennett and Sigal of New York were assured by the officials that every resource of the Federal government would be drawn upon to prevent the spread of the epidemic and to control the disease where it has already secured a foothold.

Fifty of Money Available. Representative Fitzgerald of

AMERICAN REPLY SATISFIES.

Mexican Government Officials Expect Settlement.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Mexico City, July 8.—Official announcement was made today that Foreign Minister Aguilar had received the reply of the American government to the latest note sent by the Mexican government to Washington. The reply was received late last night, it was stated.

The American reply seemed to be highly satisfactory to the foreign office officials, who said they expected a complete settlement to be reached.

READY FOR VILLA ALL ALONG BORDER

By Telegram to The Freeman.

El Paso, Tex., July 8.—"Pancho" Villa's return to the border at the head of a new horde of wild riders was awaited all along the international boundary line today. Citizens and soldiers were ready to give him an appropriate reception.

At the same time it was reported that General Pershing's punitive expedition, which was formed for the purpose of getting "Villa dead or alive," would resume its quest. With Villa located, his trail again seems "hot" and Pershing is said to have requested that the administration allow him to reverse the withdrawing movement and renew the hunt.

Carranza's attitude toward the punitive expedition probably will undergo a change with Villa growing stronger every hour. While Villa lives the de facto government can not consider itself in control of any situation, notably the one created by bandits.

In addition to this Carranza is once more faced with desertion of an army that seems to prefer adequate pay to service in pure faith.

The complaint of the army against the "two cent peso" was stifled with the prospect of war with the United States. But it has broken out in a fresh roar and there are reports that the federal soldiers are looking forward to the coming of Villa that they might join him.

Resting in Jimenez.

After Villa's force killed General Ramos and whipped the Carranzistas at Parral and again at Jimenez, the military posts along the American border were warned to keep a lookout for the return of "Pancho." Then Carranza notified Washington that Villa was resting in Jimenez.

The latest official reports placed Villa with a force of between 1,500 and 3,000 men in Jimenez. There he seemed content for a while to rest and prepare his army with its new recruits for new endeavors.

The Torreón district afforded a natural target for him with its wealth of American properties. But the city of Chihuahua, the Carranza stronghold in the north, also had its appeal. With his army prepared to move on Chihuahua would be a logical plan of campaign.

Generals Going Over?

Apparently General Lopez, said to be a brother of the notorious Pablo Lopez, guiding spirit of the Santa Isabel massacre, recently executed in Chihuahua, considered that this would be Villa's next move. General Lopez was in command of the Carranza garrison at Santa Rosalia, 40 miles north of Jimenez and on the road to Chihuahua. So General Lopez made a stirring address to his garrison and Santa Rosalia went over to "Pancho" Villa on the first ballot.

Except for the warning to be on the lookout for a new raid, Carranza officials were reluctant to discuss the new triumphs of Villa. In Juarez the report was spread that Villa had evacuated Jimenez.

The Carranza leaders are silent on the reports that government generals are going over to Villa with their troops so rapidly that no one knows how many are left. Villa's friends claim that General Barral, of Zacatecas, General Calisto Contreras of Laguna and General Bracamontes of Sonora have enlisted under "Pancho" Villa's banner.

Captured Entire Trainload. One of the characteristic Villa achievements is reported in the capture of a troop train loaded with Carranzistas sent to fight him. Villa gave the train load the choice between execution and service with his army. As a result he secured an entire train load of recruits.

The Carranza generals are having considerable difficulty moving their troops at all, owing to shortage of fuel. In addition Villa himself is in control of the railroad situation in the north of Mexico.

Reports from Chihuahua City indicate that General Trevino, in command there, is losing control of the civilian and military population which is more than half Villista at heart. Food is scarce and what money there is quite worthless. With Villa's approach to the city, the Villista element may grow too strong to be curbed.

Brooklyn, chairman of the house appropriations committee, said that funds would be forthcoming in any amount necessary to handle the situation.

The Federal public health service, he said, "received on July 1 an appropriation of \$400,000 for the specific purpose of combating epidemics throughout the country. All of that amount is available for use in the infantile paralysis campaign and if more is necessary it will be forthcoming."

TWO CONSPICUOUS FIGURES IN COMPANY M STREET



ALL THE COMFORTS OF HOME. First Lieutenant Dittus not only has a camp chair but a real bed, a lantern, a mirror and other home conveniences in his tent in camp. NOT TOO CRIPPLED TO BE USEFUL. Private Michael Walsh, his right arm in a sling because of a shoulder dislocated while boxing, turns water carrier, bringing in half a dozen canteens.

CIVILIAN RELIEF COMMITTEE BUSY

On Friday afternoon there was an important meeting of the Civilian Relief Committee of the Ulster County Chapter of the Red Cross. Mrs. George Chandler, chairman, held at the office of Mrs. Mac Millan, who has been investigating the Company M families for the committee.

Mrs. Mac Millan reported to the committee that all families of Company M in the city of Kingston had been investigated, and it was found that there were twelve families in immediate need of help, for it must be remembered that it will be three weeks Monday since the call came to Company M to report at the armory, and therefore since the men have been under government pay of \$17 a month instead of doing business in their customary manner.

Each one of the cases was carefully considered from every viewpoint, and as enough money had already been subscribed, Mrs. Chandler authorized Mr. Schaeffer, treasurer of the Ulster County Chapter of the Red Cross to send checks of the prescribed amount to each of the twelve families. The living conditions of all of these families and any others later found to need aid, will be weekly inquired into, and according to the patriotism and generosity of the people of Kingston, they will be aided. All funds for the aid of these families should be given to or mailed (by check payable to the Red Cross Civilian Relief Fund) to J. M. Schaeffer, treasurer of the Ulster County Chapter of the Red Cross, State of New York National Bank.

Those wishing their money to go directly toward the comfort or needs of the Company M men, should make checks payable, or give their money to the Red Cross Military Relief Fund, and send or give the same to Mr. Schaeffer. Money given or checks mailed to Red Cross Relief fund, will be divided equally between the civilian and military relief funds.

Company M Boys in Fine Shape. Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Atkins, Miss Helen I. Atkins and Miss Catherine Schoonmaker visited Camp Whitman yesterday and spent several hours with the boys of Company M. On account of the rumors of the scarcity of food, they were interested to see what the boys had to eat. The bill of fare for dinner was as follows: Tomato soup, tomatoes, mashed potatoes, steak smothered in onions, rice, coffee, bread and butter. Everybody had all he wanted to eat and they report the boys all well and looking fine. They visited the commissary and found an abundance of supplies of all kinds. The visitors were very much impressed with the sanitary conditions of the camp. Company M's kitchen was a model of neatness. Captain Neagher, Robert Rice, cook, and his assistants, are looking well after the boys. There is plenty of water, as they have a faucet at the head of the company's street which supplies the whole company with abundance of water. Company M is located in one of the best sites at Camp Whitman.

Deny Reports of Canal's Failure. The reports that the canal is a failure is absolutely false. "It is in excellent condition right now and is likely to continue so."

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Middletown Girl Killed in Crash. Middletown, N. Y., July 8.—Miss Marion Clinton was killed and Frank Smith was fatally hurt when their automobile collided with a train at Howells today.

CALL HUGHES TO NEW YORK.

Campaign Managers Talk With Candidate Today.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, July 8.—Charles Evans Hughes, Republican nominee for the presidency, came to town unexpectedly today. It was in answer to a hurry call from his campaign managers. They wanted to see him relative to some difficult details that had to be taken care of at once.

Mr. Hughes planned to return to his summer home in Bridgehampton early in the afternoon.

SIXTY-NINTH NOT TO GO ON SUNDAY

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Camp Whitman, Beekman, N. Y., July 8.—Orders for the movement of the Sixty-ninth to the border appear to have been changed overnight and joy has once more given room to despair among the fighting Irishmen. Last night Major Carlin, intelligence officer, announced that definite orders had been received from General Wood that the 69th was to leave here Sunday evening. This morning came the announcement that the regiment would not leave before Tuesday evening.

Batteries A of Syracuse and C of Binghamton, part of the First Field Artillery, broke camp this morning and marched down to the Green Haven station, where they will pitch camp until tomorrow morning, when they will entrain for the border. As the two batteries with their business-like looking 3-inch guns rumbled by the regiments along the line of march turned out and gave them cheer after cheer.

MILITIA CALLED FOR STRIKE DUTY

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Wilmington, N. C., July 8.—Owing to disorder in the street car strike that has tied up the entire Wilmington system with the exception of the beach cars, coast artillery companies from Raleigh, Charlotte, Salisbury and Greensboro were ordered here today.

Three regiments mobilized for border service are also being held in readiness if they are needed. Two hundred citizens were sworn in today as special deputies to protect the cars running to the beaches.

DENY REPORTS OF CANAL'S FAILURE

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, July 8.—The Panama Canal Commission today categorically denied unofficial European reports that the Panama Canal has proved a failure or that it is likely to become a failure because of slides.

Major Earl L. Brown, member of the commission in charge of the Washington engineering department, said: "The reports that the canal is a failure is absolutely false."

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AUTO CLUBS PLAN TO MERGE FORCES

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Utica, July 8.—Amalgamation of the New York State Motor Federation and the New York State Automobile Association is believed to be assured, according to an announcement today by directors of the federation. The two organizations represent 30,000 auto owners and 1,000 automobile clubs throughout the state.

MEMORIAL URGING O'BRIEN FOR POST

Judge Clearwater Among Lawyers Who Petitioned President for Appointment of Prominent Jurist to U. S. Supreme Court.

A memorial was presented to President Wilson this week by prominent members of the bar of this state, regardless of party affiliations, requesting him to appoint the Hon. Morgan J. O'Brien of New York, an associate justice of the supreme court of the United States in the place of Judge Hughes. The memorial is signed by Joseph H. Choate, Francis Lynde Stetson, Alton B. Parker, John G. Millburn, A. T. Clearwater, DeLancey Nicolli, John B. Stanchfield, George W. Wickesham and other well known men.

Judge O'Brien formerly was presiding judge of the appellate division of the first department. He is well known in Kingston, and when he began practice was a frequent visitor at Wilbur, where he was the guest of the Hallihan, Booth, Donovan and Diamond families. He is an expert golfer, and many times has played over the Twaalfskill links.

DAY'S DOINGS IN CONGRESS

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, July 8.—House and Senate met at 11 o'clock. House mines committee considered Randall resolution providing for government ownership of all oil lands and refineries.

House public buildings committee continued consideration of \$25,000,000 omnibus public buildings bill.

House continued consideration of Democratic \$200,000,000 revenue bill.

Senate continued debate on the agriculture appropriation bill.

Senate commerce committee continued consideration of the ship purchase bill.

Improvements at Ashokan. Among the many private systems of water supply which are being installed by the Canfield Store Company is a very complete system in connection with a large summer residence, overlooking the Ashokan Reservoir.

CLAIM AN ATTACK WITHOUT WARNING

German Merchant Ships Fired Upon by Submarine Sunday, Says Berlin Statement.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Berlin, via Sayville wireless, July 8.—The following official account of an attack upon German merchant ships in the Baltic by a submarine, which gave no warning, was issued today by the admiralty:

"A convoy of nine German trade ships bound to Swinemunde was attacked south of the island of Oeland without previous warning by a submerged submarine on July 2. The wake of the submarine was plainly visible, also two strong whirlpools caused by the firing of the torpedo. Fortunately the torpedo passed between the ships and did no damage. Armed patrol boats immediately made for the spot where the submarine had been and chased it. The merchant ships reached Swinemunde safely."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, July 8.—Trading was quiet on the stock exchange at the opening today with a strong tone prevailing and good gains were made in some issues. Steel Common opened 3/4 higher at 86 1/2, but lost this gain in the next few minutes. Union Pacific made a gain of 1/2 to 139 1/2, and Crucible Steel opened 3/4 higher at 70 1/2, but later yielded to 69. Industrial Alcohol dropped 2 1/2 points to 123 on two sales. Mexican Petroleum opened 1/4 higher at 103 1/2, fell to 102 1/2, and Marine Preferred, which opened at 89 1/2, yielded to 89. Similar recessions after early gains were made throughout the list, with all the important issues ranging below yesterday's close at the end of the first fifteen minutes. American Can advanced 3/4 at the opening to 54 1/2, and then declined to 53 1/2.

The tone at the close was steady. After sharp recessions in the wheat and sugar markets, trading became quieter and the usual covering of shorts caused some rallies in the final dealing. Stucco, after selling down to 133 1/2, made an improvement was also noted in Baldwin Locomotive and Crucible Steel. Business was extremely small in the standard issues, and stocks like Steel Common, Reading and Union Pacific, fluctuated within a narrow range. International Paper issues were exceptionally active. Government bonds unchanged; railway and other bonds irregular.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline, Warren Building, Fair Street, Kingston, N. Y., Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

All-Chalmers	22 1/2
American Beet Sugar	95
American Car & Foundry	92 1/2
American Can	63 1/2
American Cotton Oil	63 1/2
American Ice Securities	20 1/2
American Locomotive	64
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	34 1/2
American Sugar	40 1/2
American Telephone & Telegraph	120 1/2
Anacosta Copper Mining	81 1/2
Aetna, Topoka & Santa Fe	105 1/2
Baldwin Loco	80 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	44 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	180 1/2
Canadian Pacific	50 1/2
Central Leather	50 1/2
Cheapeake & Ohio	62 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	94 1/2
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	22 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	44 1/2
Consolidated Gas, N. Y.	14 1/2
Corn Products	70
Crucible Steel	70
Dixie's Securities	43 1/2
Erie	30 1/2
Erie, 1st pfd.	34 1/2
General Electric	75 1/2
Goodrich Rubber	75 1/2
Great Northern, pfd	119 1/2
Great Northern Ore	36 1/2
Illinois Central	117 1/2
Interborough Con.	17 1/2
Inter. Con. pfd	17 1/2
Kansas City Southern	80
Louisville & Nashville	79
Lehigh Valley	87
Maxwell Motor	79
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd	84
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd	58 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	103 1/2
Missouri Pacific	103 1/2
National Lead	95
New York Central	104 1/2
N. Y. N. E. & H.	104 1/2
New York, Ontario & Western	131 1/2
Norfolk & Western	114 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	57 1/2
Pope's Gas, Chicago	28 1/2
Pittsburgh Coal	28 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	43 1/2
Railway Steel Sp.	99 1/2
Reading	99 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel	94 1/2
Southern Pacific	94 1/2
Southern Railway	94 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd	94 1/2
Steele	134 1/2
Tennessee Copper	34 1/2
Third Ave. R. R.	36 1/2
Union Pacific	130 1/2
U. S. Steel	89 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd	117 1/2
U. S. Rubber	53 1/2
Union Copper	47 1/2
Virginia Car. Chem.	70 1/2
Western Union	40 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	36 1/2

ALLIES CONTINUE TO BATTER AWAY UPON ALL SIDES

Russian Steam Roller Renews Movement in Central Galicia and Gathers Vigor as it Goes—Germans Explode Great Mine on West Front Without Effect.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

London, July 8.—British artillery north of the Ancre river in France was active all night and there was a continuous rain of shells of all calibres upon the German trenches in the region of Gommecourt.

The British war office in an official announcement at noon stated that the German positions at Gommecourt, which is due west of Bapaume, was heavily shelled.

It was stated also that British aeroplanes have carried out a bombardment of the important railway city of Douai, which is behind the German lines and which is a point of high strategic value in the rapid movement of German troops in northern France.

During the past few days, the official report says, the English have captured 20 guns and 51 rapid firers as well as a great mass of other materials from the Germans on the Somme river front.

Following is the text of the official report: "Heavy rain yesterday afternoon and last night impeded operations between the Ancre and the Somme. The night was spent improving the forward positions gained on Friday. In the neighborhood of Gommecourt we bombarded the enemy's trenches. At Neuville St. Vaast and northward to Rodincourt the enemy was active on Friday exploding a mine among the craters near Hohenoller redoubt without any advantage to them."

"Northeast of Hulluch we sprang a mine. Our aeroplanes cooperating with our artillery did important reconnaissance work. We bombarded a German aeroplane at Douai, completely wrecking the hangar and doing other material damage. In the last few days we have captured 20 guns and 51 quick firers as well as a large number of automatic rifles, trench mortars, minewarfare, searchlights and other booty not yet enumerated."

Russians Nearing Kovel.

Petrograd, July 8.—The capture of Doljitsa, Manevitchi and Gruzlatin from the Germans was officially announced today.

(Manevitchi is only 11 miles from Kovel, the great German base in Volhynia which the Russians have been fighting so desperately to hold.)

Four Offensives Under Way.

Petrograd, July 8.—Four powerful offensive movements are being carried out by the Russians against the German and Austro-Hungarian armies in Russia and Galicia.

The four districts against which the Russian assaults are being delivered are:

1. Between Riga and Dvinsk.
2. North and south of the important railway junction of Baranovitch.
3. Between the Pripiet marshes and Luck, where the Germans are striving to hold back the Russians from the base city of Kovel.
4. In Central Galicia south of the Dniester river where the Russians, who captured Kolmea, are sweeping in a northwesterly direction.

The Austro-German armies are in retreat almost everywhere, hotly pursued by the Russians. In Volhynia only their heavy artillery has saved the German forces under General von Linsingen from complete annihilation.

There are evidences on every hand that Germany has exhausted all her available reserves and that it is possible no longer for her to make sudden shifts of troops from one theatre of war to the other.

Many of the prisoners captured in the recent fighting are boys with scant military training.

The Russian offensive has now been under way for more than three weeks, and, instead of lessening, the vigor of the drive is increasing it.

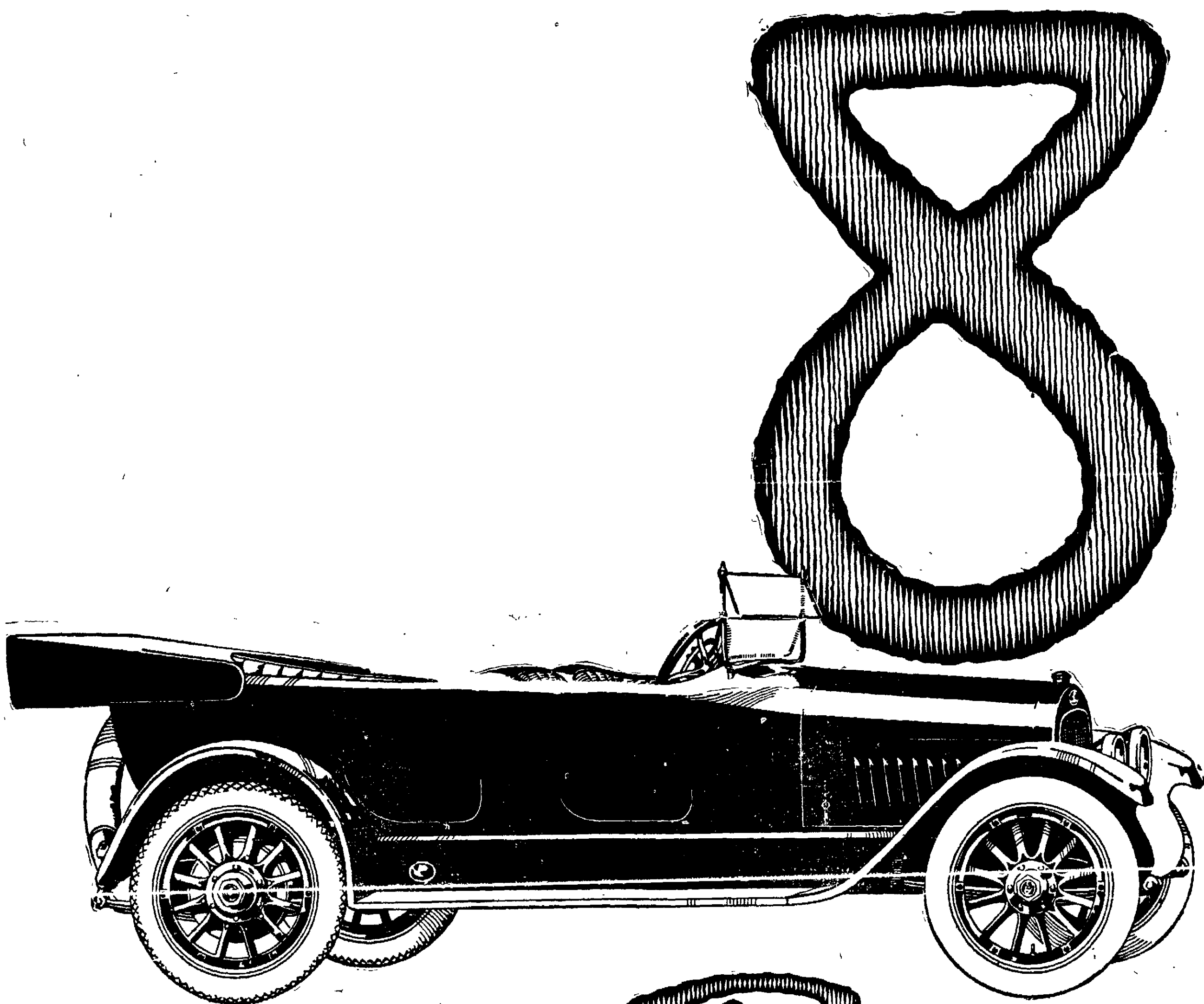
Monastery May Suffer.

Vienna, via Berlin wireless, July 8.—Another withdrawal of the Austro-Hungarian forces was admitted in an official communication from the war office made public today. The Russians are charged with shelling a hospital and the official report declares that if such a breach of the rules of war occurs again Austro-Hungarian guns will be trained against the monastery at Novopozayev.

The following is the text of the report: "In Bukovina our troops in successful engagements captured 500 prisoners and four machine guns. In southeastern Galicia between Delatyn and Sadovka numerous attacks by our Alpine territorialists. Further north in the region of Kolki the situation is unchanged."

"Austro-Hungarian troops that during the past four weeks have opposed hostile forces five times their own strength, received an order yesterday to withdraw their most advanced lines which were exposed to double flanking operations by the Russians. Assisted by the co-operation of the German troops west of Kolki and by the heroic action of the Polish legion near Koloda the movement was executed undisturbed by the enemy. Yesterday was quiet on that part of the Baranovitch front held by the Austro-Hungarians."

"The Russians have suffered extraordinarily heavy losses in attacks



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Nobody wants the spirit of militarism in our public schools, and the teachers in convention in New York this week did not favor it, although they endorsed the principle that States have the right to require drill. Here in New York State there has been a great deal of over the so-called "compulsory military training" law which, when scrutinized is found to provide merely for physical training of boys and girls by simple exercises such as have been practiced in Kingston grade schools for years under the capable direction of that efficient Captain-General, Catherine Schoonmaker. If these gymnastic figures are going to be styled military drill and classed with the goose-step, the teachers and pacifists opposed are getting out of their depth. When the students reach the high school, the law makes optional a drill corps for the youths which can hardly be said to inculcate a decided military tendency. Even if it should, there would be a compensating effect in improved discipline and respect to one's superiors which is not now a crowning glory of our school system, as teachers themselves admit. Besides, the growing popularity of vocational training in our scheme of education is bound to counter-balance any possible tendency toward Prussianization in our public schools.

One law passed by the last legislature showed the effect of the preparedness propaganda, this being the measure which makes every able-bodied man between the age of 18 and 45 years liable to draft for militia duty by the Governor of the State whenever the executive feels so disposed. Such legislation ought to be reassuring to those who have been worried at the apparent failure of the volunteer method to bring the regiments up to war strength during the recent recruiting campaign. With this power vested in the Governor, the moot question of whether or not Depot Companies organized as home guards, will take out with an enlistment for the regular term goes by the board; and let it be said to the credit of the home volunteers that but a very small proportion of their numbers raised the question. The new law will probably work out satisfactorily, as most likely it will never be invoked, as is the case with hundreds of other statutes over whose passage the chosen representatives of the people annually agitate themselves and everybody else, only to have the measures ignored when finally enacted. At the same time, it is odd how many men there are thus liable to immediate call to duty in the militia who do not realize the fact and who are not inclined to take seriously the sacrifices and service of the men who have voluntarily responded to the mobilization call.

Most newspaper readers had for the moment lost sight of our pretty little row down in Santo Domingo where the annual, and almost continuous, political fracas of our colored brethren is shedding about the usual amount of blood. Intervention on the part of the United States, either to collect customs or to restore order, has become so much a habit as to attract comparatively little attention outside the island republic itself. The last clash occurred the first of this month and was followed by a tentative agreement between the revolutionists and Admiral Caperton, U. S. N., by which the former were to immediately disarm and pave the way to a peace which for the good of the little republic it is hoped will prove to be of long life. The administration should hasten to assume due measure of credit for the commendable exertion of pressure on revolution-torn Santo Domingo. The militarists will be pleased with such an instance of preparedness, almost unbelievable, while at the same time the pacifists can rejoice over the peaceful result. Both factions are thus in condition to be further diverted by a continuation of skipping the rope on the Mexican border between the acts of the thrilling Wilson war drama entitled, "From Now Until November—March!"

The constant battle between the taxing power of the Government and those who are taxed probably will be long drawn out in the estate of Mrs. Betty Green, America's richest woman, whose fortune estimated at one hundred million dollars may be divided between her two children without the imposition of any inheritance tax. Bequests to friends and relatives total twenty-five thousand dollars, but all the rest of her fortune goes to her son and daughter. Mrs. Green's will has been filed for probate in Vermont, where Mrs. Green visited occasionally when not engaged in the active business which kept her in New York city nearly every day of the year, but under an amendment to the inheritance tax law of New York, the New York State officials will try to show that she was really a resident of this State, and that her estate should pay the inheritance tax imposed here, which will be escaped in Vermont if the courts finally determine that her legal residence was there. Vermont imposes no inheritance tax on property passing from a parent to a child. Vermont does, however, impose such a tax on other bequests, with the result that it will collect about twelve hundred and fifty dollars from her other bequests should Mrs. Green be determined to have been a resident of that State. Under the New York State law her estate would enrich the state treasury by about four million dollars inheritance tax. New York tax officials also may claim, if their theory of her New York residence is not sustained, that she was a resident of New Jersey, where she was said to have moved every spring in order to avoid a personal tax in New York. The ordinary small-property owner or the ordinary millionaire pays his taxes, although perhaps grudgingly, but the multi-millionaire most often seeks to avoid taxation altogether during life and endeavors to provide evidence which may be relied on after death for the benefit of tax-escaping beneficiaries. If the accumulation of property even in modest amount is due in any way to the protection afforded by the government, for which the man of modest means pays in the form of taxation, the debt due to the State from inordinately large fortunes like that of Betty Green is proportionately greater, but Government in America has not yet devised an entirely successful method of collecting it. The abundance of laws seems to muddle rather than clarify conditions.

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The children are as follows:
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LITTLE LAUGHS.

She—"How did you dare tell father that you have a prospect of \$50,000 a year?" He—"Why, I have it I marry you."—Boston Transcript.

"Meet me at three o'clock, will you?" "Can't do it. I've got to meet my wife at two o'clock and that'll probably keep me until nearly four."—Detroit Free Press.

Maybelle—"Suppose Bonaparte commanded the armies of France now—what would he do?" Sappie—"I have no idea. In fact, I hardly know what I would do myself."—Judge.

"Father, what is meant by the artistic temperament?" "The artistic temperament, my boy, is a sort of a reserve alibi which usually saves the artist from prosecution on a charge of disturbing the peace."—Puck.

"Harmony is what we want," remarked the serious citizen. "Yes," replied Senator Sorghum; "but some of us want only a little of it here and there, just enough to help out a chorus, but not enough to prevent the work from being recognized as a solo."—Washington Star.

"I think I'll take up some musical instrument." "Consider carefully, my boy. Unless you excel, there is nothing more calculated to get you in bad. Take the case of Nero. Notwithstanding his many atrocities, he is remembered chiefly as a rotten violinist."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The moment the razor touched his face, the man in the chair realized that he was in the hands of an amateur. "Will you have a close shave, sir?" asked the barber. "It looks like it," returned the victim, moodily. "At present the odds against my getting out of this chair alive seem very heavy, indeed."—Boston Transcript.

MISHAP'S MET AT WOODSTOCK.

Two Fire Fighters Incapacitated by Blaze.
Woodstock, July 7.—Richard Chaplain is suffering from a fractured arm received last Sunday night when the sawmill was destroyed by fire. A falling timber struck him, breaking his arm. He is being attended by Dr. Downer.

James Canfield, the expressman and stage driver, is suffering from a severe cold contracted while operating the hand engine at Sunday night's fire. The present engine is entirely inadequate and the village should make some provision to secure a modern fire equipment.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

July 8, 1896.—Death of Albert Van Etten at Lake Katrine.
William C. Gordon of Albany bought the Rarelay Fibre Company's plant at Saugerties for \$40,000.

July 8, 1906.—Meyer Friedman had narrow escape from death when his apartments in the Casack building on Fair street caught fire.
William Bowles Gurney died at his home in Port Jervis, aged 83 years.

Miss Nettie Roe of this city, and Scott Slight of Glen Ridge, N. J., married in this city.

John P. Leonard and Miss Helena Motie married.

Plague in Baltimore.
By Telegram to The Freeman.
Baltimore, Md., July 8.—The first death in this city from infantile paralysis occurred Friday. It was a two year old girl.

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HAD QUIET LITTLE CONTEST.

Providence Pugilist Met Match in Kingston Tailor.
After spending a few days in Providence, R. I., a prominent young pugilist of Bangor, Maine, came to Kingston in the pink of condition, and engaged in a three round bout with a downtown tailor Thursday at Chambers and East Union streets. While it lasted the bout was a thriller, and attracted a big crowd which did not have to pay for ring side seats. The bout started with the "kidding" of the visitor by the tailor about a ten dollar snapshot taken in Providence. Second round.—The visitor delivered a mighty Russian backhand on the tailor's dome. Dazed the tailor retreated, joined with left and delivered a "coffee cooler" on the visitor's left optic. Visitor, enraged, grabs hammer and gently taps the tailor's ribs—again dazed the tailor retreated, joined only to be followed by the Providence slugger, raining blow upon blow. At this point spectators relieve Providence man of his weapon. The third round.—The tailor comes back fresh, radios in and hits Providence man on optic. The visitor covers, grabs a brick and again becomes the aggressor. After a hum at the fighting the visitor retreats on a run towards Broadway. Outside of a "shiner" the Providence man is all right, while the tailor Friday used arnica on his bruises.

MONTOMA.

Montoma, July 8.—The Ladies' Aid of the Glenford M. E. Church will hold their fair and festival on the afternoon and evening of July 26. If decidedly stormy, next fair day.

A number from this place attended the supper at Ashokan on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stoutenberg of Prattville are spending some time with their mother, Mrs. K. Silkworth.

Master Wilson Bonesteel, who has been spending two weeks with Mr. Martin and family of Saugerties, has returned home.

Miss Beulah Parker of Kingston is spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. Agnes Smith.

Mrs. M. Stratton spent Thursday with Mrs. Charles Stratton of Woodstock.

O. F. DeGraft and daughter, Charlotte, spent Thursday evening with H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bonesteel called in Woodstock on Friday afternoon.

G. L. Perera passed through this place one day last week.

Miss Carrie Gay of Glenford spent a few days with Mrs. Wilson Bonesteel last week.

R. W. Stoutenberg spent Thursday evening with his grandmother, Mrs. K. Silkworth.

New Paltz Man Commissioned.

Dr. E. J. Wermuth, the New Paltz veterinarian, was notified on Tuesday that he had passed the examination for veterinary in the United States army. He has been ordered to report for duty immediately to the commander of the First Cavalry, now stationed at Fort Sheridan, New York. Dr. Wermuth receives the rank of second lieutenant.

Powder Mill Explosion Fatal.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Wilmington, Del., July 8.—One man was killed and another injured this morning when a grinding mill in the black powder department of the DuPont Powder Company at Hazlet, Va. exploded. The concussion shook the entire city.

Saturation Charge Denied.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Berlin, via Amsterdam, July 8.—The charge made in England that enemy civilians interned in Germany are being starved is officially denied here.

ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, July 7.—Mrs. William Schmonzees and children of Brooklyn are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Clair on Park street.

Miss Helen Freer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Freer of Warren street is on a visit with Walden relatives.

Alvin Lounsbury and wife of South Fallsburg are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sheeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Morey of Rutherford, N. J., spent the Fourth with J. R. DeVany and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Eckert are on a two weeks' outing at Lake George.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Devoe of Middletown have been spending some days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Rippert.

Uncle "Zach" Vanderlyn, after spending some time with his son at Oliveville, is in town visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. R. Bunting on Maple avenue.

Merritt Scott of Glens Falls, a former Ellenville boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Scott, recently graduated from the Glens Falls High School and has won the scholarship for Cornell. He won 364 points out of 350. On entering Cornell he will take up the A. B. course.

J. J. Arnoys is spending a few days with Middletown relatives.

Paul Westbrook is driving the extra delivery wagon for the Adams Express Company.

James Goodwin, for the past five years clerk at the Holmes Brick Block store, and Edwin Fuller, son of William L. Fuller, leave Ellenville this week for Detroit where they expect to enter the Cadillac Motor School for a two year course in automobile construction.

William Parker of New York has been spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parker at the Cape.

Edwin Mitchell of Middletown has been spending a few days with his friend, John C. Hornbeck.

Miss Mildred Eaton, teacher in Darlington Seminary at West Chester, Pa., is home for the summer vacation.

Miss Julia Hoornbeek is visiting friends in Middletown.

Robert Graham of New York has been at his home on Park street this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kulunski of Charleston, S. C., and Charles Kulunski of New York have been spending some days in town as guests at the Wayside Inn.

Miss Trowbridge of Binghamton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Eugene Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Brooklyn are guests of Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. W. L. Wolf.

Mrs. Lewis Wager and son of Brooklyn are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richards.

Joseph A. Smith of New York spent a few days with his family, who are at Lackawack for the summer.

M. D. Sheridan of New York was home for over the Fourth.

D. C. C. Weyant of New York is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brodhead at Laurenskill. Other guests at Laurenskill home are the Misses Hirst and Morgan.

Charles Hayes of Philadelphia has been spending some days with Mrs. Hayes at their summer home on Maple avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Emerson of Brockton, Mass., have been spending some days with Mrs. Emerson's brother's wife, Mrs. E. E. Count, and family.

Mrs. S. W. Taylor of Warren street has returned from a visit with her daughter and family in Walden.

Isaac N. Cox Doyle of Schenectady is spending a two weeks' vacation at his home on Hermance street.

Commencing July 4 for the first time in the history of the world for the blind of America, a convention of the American Association of Instructors for the Blind was begun at the school for the blind in Halifax, N. S. Miss Mary B. Schoonmaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Schoonmaker of Ellenville, for several years an instructor in the institution for the blind in New York city, is a delegate to the convention.

Among the marriages of the week was that of Harry B. Wilklow, a valued employee of Ulster knife works, and Miss Mabel Devoe, daughter of Mrs. Charles Devoe. They were married at the bride's home on Edwards street on Monday afternoon by Rev. H. P. Hobson, D. D., of St. John's Church. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served and the bride and groom departed on a wedding tour to include Niagara Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Wilklow are well known young people of the village and many friends extend hearty congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parker of The Cape have issued announcements of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth M. Parker, to Robert P. Gould of Brooklyn, N. Y. The ceremony was solemnized on June 23, at 6 p. m. in Brooklyn. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Belle Parker, and the groom by his brother, John J. Gould. Mr. and Mrs. Gould are spending their honeymoon in one of the hunting camps in the Adirondacks. They are to reside in Brooklyn. Mrs. Gould is a graduate of the Ellenville high school and the Normal at Oneonta and for the past year has been a successful teacher of the training class for teachers in the schools at Greenpoint. L. L. A. young lady with many friends in Ellenville who extend to both her and her husband very hearty congratulations.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered by the Rev. W. S. Maines at the Reformed Church on Sunday morning with reception of members.

Mrs. Elizabeth Keib, widow of Joseph Keib, one of Ellenville's oldest residents, died at her home on Warren street on Wednesday at the age of 87 years. Surviving children are Alfred Smith, by former marriage; Mrs. Lena Keib Miller, Joseph Keib, William E. Keib, Frederick Keib and Margaret Keib, of Elmer River, and Mrs. Mary Keib Kopf. Funeral arrangements to be announced.

REAL SUMMER AT SHANDAKEN.

The Glenbrook Popular with Numbers of Visitors.
Shandaken, June 8.—The hot weather of the last week has brought many people to the Glenbrook and the season is in full swing now. On the Fourth the guests enjoyed a straw ride to Camp Zelenko where the Glenbrook baseball team played the boys of Camp Zelenko.

On Monday evening, the third, the guests enjoyed the first big dance of the season in the hall at the Glenbrook, when about 100 guests joined hand in hand with Terpsichore, dancing to the splendid music furnished by Muller's orchestra of Kingston. Parties came from neighboring hotels and summer places. The next of these dances, to which all are invited, will be a masquerade on Saturday evening, the fifteenth of July. Dancing is also enjoyed every evening in the parlor.

Among the recent arrivals at the Glenbrook are Mrs. H. R. DeLaff, from Mexico; Francisco Gonzales of Havana; Mrs. William L. Keese, of Brooklyn; Mrs. E. H. Boyer and son, of Newark, N. J.; Mrs. E. Griffith and two children, of Havana; Mrs. L. Nadai, also of Havana.

Justice E. C. Emerson, of the supreme court, and Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. F. C. Wood and B. L. Wheeler stopped at the Glenbrook for the Fourth.

Mrs. F. E. Jones and two children and Mrs. J. L. Blanchard, the former of Greenwich, Conn., and the latter from Boston, Mass., made a short visit at the Glenbrook. They are making a tour of the Catskills.

There are several Yale fellows now working at the Glenbrook. They are Sydney L. Lyon, who has charge of Camp Rushing Waters; Walter H. Cook, assistant clerk; Sylvester Smith, Claude Harris, Clarence Harris, George McKee, Edward Sheldon, K. Horowitz, J. E. Griffith and I. A. Leonard, all of whom are making themselves useful.

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BREWER'S BLACKBIRD

(Euphagus cyanocephalus)

Length, ten inches. Its glossy purplish head distinguishes it from other blackbirds that do not show in flight a trough-shaped tail.

Range: Breeds in the West, east to Texas, Kansas, and Minnesota, and north to southern Canada; winters over most of the United States breeding range, south to Guatemala.

Habits and economic status: Very numerous in the West and in fall gathers in immense flocks, especially about barnyards and corrals. During the cherry season in California Brewer's blackbird is much in the orchards. In one case they were seen to eat freely of cherries, but when a neighboring fruit raiser began to plow his orchard almost every blackbird in the vicinity was upon the newly opened ground and close at the plowman's heels in its eagerness to get the insects exposed by the plow. Caterpillars and pupae form the largest item of animal food (about 12 per cent). Many of these are cutworms, and cotton bollworms or corn earworms were found in ten stomachs and codling-moth pupae in 11. Beetles constitute over 11 per cent of the food. The vegetable food is practically contained in three items—grain, fruit, and weed seeds. Grain, mostly oats, amounts to 54 per cent; fruit, largely cherries, 4 per cent; and weed seeds, not quite 9 per cent. The grain is probably mostly wild, volunteer, or waste, so that the bird does much damage by eating it.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE

The undersigned as executor of the estate of Charles D. Spencer, will call a public auction at the Exchange Hotel in the village of Saugerties, New York, on the 10th day of July, 1916, at twelve o'clock noon, the real property owned by Charles D. Spencer at the time of his decease, and located at Glenrie, in the town of Saugerties, on the Saugerties-Kingston highway, consisting of 6.00 acres of land and three-quarters (3/4) acre of land with frontage on Esopus creek. Terms made known on day of sale. Dated at Saugerties, N. Y., July 7, 1916. JAMES D. SPENCER, Executor of Estate of Charles D. Spencer.

BENJAMIN ROWE

Attorney for Executor, Saugerties, N. Y.

Want "Ads"

The FREEMAN'S Want Columns is the best medium for those who have property for sale, rooms to rent or offices of any description for exchange as the circulation of The Freeman is beyond the reach of all the other city and country papers. In need of Help or a Position? Insert an "ad" and let us continue you. We always bring results.

LOST OR MISLAID A CITY ORDINANCE

Finder Please Notify Commissioner
A. E. Dederick—Mr. Sheppard
Registers Kick and Shows Im-
provement as a Campaign Orator—
Other Matters Before B. P. W.

If any one about town finds a city ordinance relating to the proposed improvement of Foxhall avenue, he or she is requested to communicate at once with Commissioner A. E. Dederick of the board of public works, who is anxious to locate the ordinance which is strangely lost or mislaid. However, Commissioner Dederick did not mislay or lose the ordinance, and in fact knew nothing about it until after the regular meeting of the board was under way at the city hall on Friday afternoon.

The fact that the ordinance was missing came to light when Secretary John J. Linson read a protest from property-owners on Foxhall avenue, against "The resurfacing, macadamizing and repairing of Foxhall avenue, and the building of curb, gutter and walks on or along said avenue at the expense of the property-owners, and also the building of a sewer through the avenue as contemplated by the board of public works, on the grounds that the work at this time is entirely unwarranted, unneeded, and unnecessary; that the expense thereof would be a great burden and hardship on property owners affected and that they would gain no benefit therefrom; that said work is not desired by a majority of the property owners along the avenue or in that vicinity, and would amount to further confiscation of their property." It was signed by Peter C. Osterhout, Charles M. Garvon, Emil Glaser, Oren B. Morse, George Stanford, Mrs. E. Smith, B. Siebelt, Emil Roehl, Cyrus P. Church and the Charles Ramsey Company.

Commissioner Dederick after the protest was read called attention to the fact that the board had already expended \$550 for purchasing a piece of land so that the avenue could be straightened, and that he knew the public at large wanted that street improved as it was one of the main thoroughfares between Albany avenue and Broadway.

Hist. Where Are the Papers?
The commissioner moved that the ordinance that the city engineer had been directed to prepare at a previous meeting of the board be approved, after the clerk had read the ordinance and if it proved satisfactory.

"I have not seen the ordinance,"

said Mr. Linson as he searched through his papers.

City Engineer Codwise said that he had prepared one and left it at the office of the board, but Mr. Linson was positive that he had seen nothing of it.

A search for the document failed to bring it to light.

Commissioner Dederick said that it was strange that a document like that should disappear from the office of the board, and seemed to be of the opinion that some one had entered the office and abstracted it.

Finally after considerable discussion it was decided that the ordinance must have been mislaid.

Superintendent Van Keuren in response to inquiries from the board members said that he did not believe the proposed improvement could be started this year owing to the vast amount of previous work laid out by the board for the street department.

As the ordinance relating to the improvement could not be found the question of improving the avenue was not passed upon by the board and the protest was ordered filed as was also a letter from William H. TenBroeck objecting to the proposed improvement of William street, which is now a part of Foxhall avenue.

Electric Company Wrote.
A communication was read from the Kingston Gas & Electric Company in relation to the changes ordered in the lighting system of the board, among other things being the removal of 45 ornamental lights.

"We are in entire accord with the efforts of your board to reduce the expenses of the city, and therefore shall discontinue the lamps designated" wrote the company. Continuing the letter stated "In doing this you will pardon us if we call your attention to the fact that the city authorities to the fact that the lights which you direct to be discontinued were installed at the specific direction of the city, and that in installing them we expended upwards of \$4,000 in labor, material and appliances, all of which upon compliance with your order becomes a loss which we cannot in any way recoup." The letter concluded that in spite of that fact the company is glad to assist "in sustaining the board's economic policy which meets with the approval of all the citizens of Kingston."

Mr. Sheppard Delivers Protest.
Joseph A. Sheppard, former city treasurer under the Irwin administration, was given the privilege of the floor and entered a vigorous protest to the eliminating of the lights on Broadway. He said that if the board wanted to go to it, gentlemen, but don't take away the lights. He said there was a thousand other ways in which the city could save expenses instead of cutting the lighting bill, but as he said he did not want to take up too much of the board's time he did not mention any of the ways in which he thought it could be done.

As a campaign speech Mr. Sheppard's effort was fine and he showed marked improvement in the delivery of his protest. The Democratic county committee in preparing its list of speakers for the coming campaign should not overlook Mr. Sheppard's ability in that direction. He concluded his protest with an exchange of personalities with Commissioner Dederick.

Mr. Sheppard said that he appeared before the board to protest against the eliminating of the Broadway lights on behalf of those

residing in his vicinity who were up in arms over the matter.

Old Ordinance to be Enforced.
At the last meeting of the board residents of Stuyvesant street asked the board to improve Stuyvesant street, and at the meeting Friday the matter came up again.

Secretary Linson said that as requested at the last meeting of the board he had looked up the records to ascertain if there had ever been an ordinance passed regarding the improvement of the street, and he had found such an ordinance.

The ordinance was passed by the common council in 1891 and called for the grading, curbing, guttering and flagging of Stuyvesant street between Livingston street and Hasbrouck avenue. The board passed a resolution that property owners be notified to do the work within 30 days, or it would be done by the city at their expense.

The Pearl Street Sewer.
The board decided to advertise for bids for the construction of the proposed Pearl street sewer, and plans and specifications prepared by the city engineer were approved.

Hasbrouck Avenue Improvement.
The question of when the work of improving Hasbrouck avenue, as proposed by the board, should be started, was referred to the finance committee to report back to the board if there was enough money on hand to do the work this year.

On Dederick Street.
Commissioner Dederick offered a resolution, which was adopted, that property owners on Dederick street be notified to lay curb, gutter and flagging within 30 days, or the work would be done by the city and charged to the property owners.

Andrew Street.
The clerk was directed to ascertain if any ordinance had ever been passed for the curbing, guttering and flagging of Andrew street, and if so to direct property owners to comply within 30 days.

Tubby Street Improvement.
Commissioner Dederick also moved that the street superintendent lower cross walks on Wurts street.

He also moved that the city engineer prepare an ordinance for the grading, topdressing, curbing and guttering of Tubby street, and also sewerage. Carried.

To Remove Tree.
The property owner on Prince street will be notified to remove a large tree standing in the center of the sidewalk on that street, near Jansen avenue.

More Light.
Commissioner Everett's motions that an incandescent light be placed in front of the Davis store on Cedar street, and an incandescent light placed in the center of Belvedere street, halfway between Elmendorf and Downs streets, were adopted.

Routine Business.
The board also transacted considerable routine business before adjourning.

INSURANCE COMPANIES SUED.
Mrs. Frank Tubby's Two Actions in City Court.

In city court on Friday before Acting City Judge Andrew Lang, the case of Mrs. Frank Tubby against the Prudential Insurance Company was tried, decision being reserved by the court. Mrs. Tubby brought the action to recover \$188 on a policy on her mother, Mrs. Taylor, of Saugerties, who died in 1915. The insurance company refused to pay on the grounds that the mother was suffering from cancer, which is denied by the plaintiff. Judge N. Frank O'Reilly represented Mrs. Tubby, while Mayor Canfield appeared for the insurance company.

The action brought by Mrs. Tubby against the Metropolitan Insurance Company to recover on a policy was adjourned until Wednesday morning.

PROGRESSIVE CLUB OUTING.
Dunneen's Grove to be Scene of Sunday Gathering.

The first annual picnic and outing of the Kingston Progressive Club will be held at Dunneen's Grove on Lucas avenue on Sunday, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. There will be no admission to the ground but a nominal charge will be made for refreshments. The club is composed of a number of hard working young men, mostly of foreign birth, who are seeking to improve their condition and avail themselves of educational facilities. The proceeds of the picnic will be devoted to that purpose.

Guests at Cedar Hill Farm.
Mr. and Mrs. William Friday and daughter, Helen, of New York city, are spending the summer at Cedar Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Augusten of Staten Island are spending some time at Cedar Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peters and son, Harold, who spent the week end and Fourth at Cedar Hill Farm, have returned to their home.

William Friday of New York city has joined his parents at Cedar Hill Farm, spending the week end with them.

SUNDAY SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES.

Holy Cross Church, Pine Grove avenue.—Sunday services: Low mass at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and Litany at 10. High mass (with sermon) at 10:30 a. m.

East Kingston M. E. Church, the Rev. A. H. Harnes, pastor.—Bible class and Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 o'clock.

The Franklin Street A. M. E. Zion pastor.—Church, the Rev. J. T. Matthews, pastor.—1 a. m., preaching, 12 m., class meeting; 2:30 p. m., Sunday school; 8 p. m., preaching. Subject, "Mutual Fellowship."

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 161 Fair street.—Service at 11 a. m., subject, "Sacrament." Sunday school directly after the church service. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Bethany Chapel, corner of Washington avenue and North Front street.—Sunday school at 8:30. E. E. Devo, superintendent. Sunday evening, preaching by the Rev. A. H. Harnes at 7:30. Prayer meeting Friday evening.

Services at First Reformed Church Sunday, the Rev. Dr. Leeper, minister, sermon, 10:30 a. m.; subject, "God's Call to the Anglo-Saxon Race or What We Should Do in Mexico." Sunday school at 12 m. Christian Endeavor at 5:15 p. m.

Free Methodist Church, 38 Sterling street.—Preaching by the Rev. J. H. Moore at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer and class meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Wurts Street Baptist Church, the Rev. A. K. Fuller, minister.—Services of worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "The Second Coming of Christ." Evening, "The Ministry of a Mountain Mill." Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

Trinity M. E. Church.—Sunday, 9:45 a. m., class meeting. A. Maister, school, leader. 10:30 a. m., morning worship, with sermon by pastor. 11:50 a. m., Sunday school. S. E. Eighmey, superintendent. 6:45 p. m., Epworth League. 7:30 p. m., evening worship and sermon.

Fair Street Reformed Church, the Rev. F. B. Seely, pastor.—Preaching by the Rev. Alexander Wouters, of Brooklyn, at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at noon. Christian Endeavorers uniting with St. James's Epworth League at 6:30. No evening service. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church, corner of Tremper avenue and Elmendorf street.—Sermon by the pastor, the Rev. R. C. Dods, D. D., at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "Prove All, Hold Fast the Good." Evening theme, "The Bible a Light-Giver." Sunday school at 12 m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

St. Peter's R. C. Church, the Rev. John P. Neumann, rector; the Rev. George H. Wermuth, assistant.—Masses at 7, 9 and 10:30. Baptism at 2 p. m. Sacramental benediction will be given after the last mass, and there will be an afternoon or evening service. The Holy Name Society will go to holy communion in a body at the 7 o'clock mass.

Lutheran Church of the Redeemer. The musical services for Sunday morning will be as follows: Prelude—Festival March... Tielman Offertory.

The Hour of Prayer—Arr. from C. C. Sterns.

Choir Anthem—Rock of Ages... Nelson Postlude—Postlude in A... Tours

Livingston Street Lutheran Church, head of East Chestnut street, Rev. Frederick P. Wilhelm, pastor.—Morning service, German, at 10:30, subject of the sermon, "We Need a Saviour and We Have a Saviour." Meeting of the congregation at 2:30 p. m. Evening services in English on the first and third Sundays of the month throughout the summer.

The Salvation Army, 94 North Front street, Adjutant Eugene Mott in charge. Young people's day, 2:30 p. m., Sunday school; swearing in of junior soldiers. 6:30 p. m., young people's service, led by Capt. N. Colburn. 8 p. m., salvation meeting and dedication of infants. Sunday school picnic Monday at Kingston Point. Public meetings every night except Monday and Tuesday.

First Baptist Church, Albany avenue, the Rev. Arthur S. Cole, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30. Sermon topic, "Spiritual Preparedness." Bible school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Sermon topic "The Ananias Club." Miss Helen A. Moulton of New York city will sing at the evening service.

Spring Street German Lutheran Church, the Rev. A. Schmidtkonz, pastor.—Service at 10:30 a. m.; subject of the sermon, "The Love of Jesus and of His Church to Sinners." Sunday schools, German at 9 a. m., English at 2 p. m. Meeting of the church council on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Evening services, English on the first and third Sundays of the month. German evening services will be omitted until September.

Reformed Church of the Comforter, Wykoope Place, the Rev. W. F. Stowe, pastor.—Divine worship at 10:30 a. m.; sermon theme, "A Religion from Heaven." Bible school at the noon hour. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting in the chapel at 4:45; subject, "The Consecration of Purpose." Leader, Miss Ethel Parslow. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor on "Excuses and Ingratitude." The service will be short and inspiring.

The Ponckhockie Union Church.—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the pastor, the Rev. F. W. Moot. At the morning service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. Theme, "Honors for the Faithful." Sunday school at 2:30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Evening theme, "The Voyage of Life." New members will be received at the morning service. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Clinton Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church.—Morning worship at 10:30; sermon topic, "God's Silence in the Use of Silence." Sunday school session and class meeting at 11:45. Epworth League devotional service at 6:30. Evening worship service at 7:30; sermon topic, "Unfettered for the Kingdom of God." Class meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. People's prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30. Church located at Clinton avenue and Liberty street. Rev. George M. Cranston, pastor.

St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church, corner Pearl and Fair streets, the Rev. T. H. Baragwanath, minister.—Public worship at 10:30 and 7:30. Both the morning and evening services will be reasonably brief, suitable to the season of the year. Subject for the morning, "The Great Adventure." The evening service will be popular in character. Messrs. Roger and Frank Wilson, of Indiana, flute and trombone soloists, will assist the choir. Dr. Baragwanath will make a short address on "Our Crisis and Our Opportunity." Sunday school at 11:45. Epworth League service at 6:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Musical program for the evening: Organ Prelude—Selected. Duet, (Trombone and Flute)—"Calm is the Night." Roger and Frank Wilson. Flute Solo—"Serenade." Schubert Organ Postlude—Selected.

The Rondout Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles G. Ellis, Ph.D., pastor.—Morning service 10:30. Bible school 12. Evening service 7:30. Subject of the morning sermon, "Some Beginnings." Evening sermon, "A Dry Time in the Mountains." The program of music for Sunday follows:

MORNING.
Prelude—Romanza... Ashford Anthem—Prepare Ye The Way of The Lord... Garrett Offertory Solo by Miss Los Kamp... O Divine Redeemer... Gounod Postlude—Andante Conmoto... Brede

EVENING.
Prelude—Abendlied... Spindler Anthem—I Will Sing of Thy Power... Sullivan Offertory Solo by Miss Los Kamp... The Day is Ended... Bartlett Postlude—Postlude.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Wall street.—Early celebration of the holy communion, 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30. Sunday school, 12 m. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30. The Rev. J. R. Atkinson of New York city will officiate and will preach at both the morning and evening services. The musical program will be as follows:

MORNING PRAYER, 10:30.
Organ Prelude—Prayer... Barker Processional Hymn No. 671. Venite in A... Dudley Buck Te Deum in B Flat... King Hall Jubilate in E Flat... Dudley Buck Introit Hymn No. 429. Offertory solo—In Thee, O Lord... Woodman

Mr. Clearwater.
Recessional Hymn No. 287. Haydn Organ Postlude in D... Haydn EVENING PRAYER, 7:30.
Organ Prelude—At Twilight... Gatty Sellers Processional Hymn No. 559. Magnificat in D... Rogers Nunc Dimittis in D... Rogers Hymn No. 410. Offertory solo—Be Glad, O Ye Righteous... Hubn

Mr. LaTour.
Recessional Hymn No. 535. Organ Postlude—March... Sealey Harry P. Dodge, organist.

Clinton Avenue M. E. Church.
The musical services on Sunday at the Clinton Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church will be as follows:

MORNING SERVICE.
Organ Prelude—Andante Conmoto... Hesse Anthem—I am Alpha and Omega... Stainer Gloria... Meifneke Offertory—Prelude in C Minor... Chopin

Organ Postlude—Allegretto Moderato... Schumann VESPER SERVICE.
Organ Prelude—Canzonetta... Bohm Anthem—The Splendors of Thy Glory, Lord... Woodward Offertory—Retrospection... Mendelssohn

Organ Postlude—Benedictus... Snyder

Arthur H. Snyder, organist and choir director.

KINGSTON AT LAKE KATRINE.

High School Girls to Play Manhattan Basketball Team.
Lake Katrine, July 8.—Having won the championship of the Hudson valley, the girls' basketball team of the high school will meet a team from New York city at the Grange Hall, Lake Katrine, this evening and endeavor to show their superiority over the New York girls. The game will be called at 8 o'clock and dancing will follow the game. The New York team known as the Ki-Hi team, is: The Misses Helen Levitus, Van Deusen, Stewart Merritt, Jarowski and Bertha Van Deusen. The high school girls who are playing under the name of the Katrine team are: The Misses Josephine Schmidt, Helen Wood, Ruth Humphrey, Van Brumer, Snyder, Irene Joslovitz and Faith Safford.

On Tuesday evening a musical recital will be held at the home of William Trueman, the proceeds being for the benefit of the Grange. The program will begin at 8 o'clock and a silver offering will be taken.

Quiet Day in Court.
Today was a quiet day in recorder's court and no cases were brought to the attention of Recorder Lang. Probably the hot weather may have had something to do with the calm.

French Land in Asia Minor.
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
London, July 8.—Forty-five hundred French troops have landed at Mytilene off the coast of Asia Minor, says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Athens today.

Safe Blowers' Start Blaze.
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Chicago, July 8.—Robbers blew a safe in the Arcade Building early today and the "nitro" started a spectacular fire which for a time threatened the Morrison Hotel block. Several hundred scantily dressed guests were forced to flee from their rooms. The burglars obtained little money.

Making Last Moments Merry.
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Salina, Kans., July 8.—Though dying from bichloride of mercury poisoning, Mrs. Otis Wallace suffers no pain and is spending her last day in gaiety. Card games and music furnish amusement for her.

Summer Furs Barred.
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Long Branch, N. J., July 8.—Wearing an epidemic of infantile paralysis, the local health officials have prohibited the wearing of furs by women.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RONDOUT
at Kingston, in the State of New York, at the close of business on June 30, 1916.

Resources.
Loans and discounts, (except overdrafts, unsecured) \$531,682.47
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation, (par value) 200,000.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds, (not including stocks), on hand and pledged 285,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank \$24,000.00
Less amount unpaid 12,000.00
Value of banking house, (if unencumbered) 25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures 5,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house 18,088.22
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank 22,391.07
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis \$3,531.54
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities 61,630.40
Net amount due from banks and bankers, (other than included in 10 or 30 day notes and other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank) 3,408.23
Outside checks and other cash items 4,701.43
Fractional currency, nickels and cents 508.77
Notes of other national banks 5,268.20
Federal reserve notes 6,800.00
Coin and certificates 27,300.00
Legal tender notes 27,300.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 10,000.00
Total \$1,364,588.89

Liabilities.
Capital stock paid in \$200,000.00
Surplus fund 200,000.00
Undivided profits 100,248.10
Reserve for taxes 2,620.01
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 111,868.11
Circulating notes outstanding 196,100.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers, (other than included in 10 or 30 day notes and dividends unpaid 148,277.82
Demand deposits 10,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check \$59,758.64
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days 6,634.96
Certified checks 4,923.18
Total demand deposits 10,000.00
Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 6

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STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

"I thought you said they had no telephones in the local postoffice," said the friend to the street corner politician.

"No, you got me wrong," said the politician. "I said they had telephones, and could call any one up in the city, but if you wanted to get the postoffice on the 'phone you would find it impossible."

"How is that?" queried the friend. "Probably the postmaster is afraid the Chamber of Commerce or some one else would call up on the telephone to register a kick regarding the poor mail service in the Hudson river valley," replied the politician.

It might be added for the benefit of those who do not know it that all three postoffices in town are equipped with telephones, but not to accommodate the public which is seeking any important information regarding the mail service has to walk a mile or so to the nearest office to get it, instead of being allowed to call the postoffice on the 'phone. The postoffice 'phones are not even listed in the telephone book, and only central and telepostoffice employees know the call number.

It is said that the reason is that the clerks are too busy handling the mail to answer telephone inquiries.

It would be too bad to overwork the clerks.

"Did you get that money order you were anxious to get last night?" asked the street corner politician of his friend.

"No," was the reply, "I got there too late."

"Why it was only 7 o'clock," replied the politician.

"Yes, but you can't get any money order after 6 o'clock at any of the branch offices in town, and not after 8 o'clock at the central postoffice."

"Well," replied the street corner politician with a smile, "what do you expect from the government? We only spend a vast sum of money to run the postoffice system and the public if they want to be accommodated should be sure to get around before 6 o'clock in the afternoon if they want a money order. You should remember if the public wants better service they should be willing to spend more money, say several millions or so more."

"Yes," retorted the friend, "and then maybe they would lengthen the hours for getting money order so 6:30 o'clock."

"Thing's change in Kingston" was a news heading on Thursday.

It might be added that the water board adopted a resolution pledging itself to pay the difference, if any, in the salary of Lieutenant Cash and the water board. This difference is "0," as the army is paying the lieutenant quite considerably more than the water board.

There is nothing like patriotism when it doesn't affect one's pocketbook.

UNION CENTER.
Union Center, July 8.—Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Schoonmaker and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burger and son William motored to Orange Lake on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kelly of West New York were the guests of Charles Kelly over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bassett of Kingston spent Tuesday, July 4th in Union Center, calling on Mrs. S. Contant in the evening.

Webster Proper of Yonkers visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Proper this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Contant entertained a few friends on Monday evening in honor of Mr. Contant's birthday. Music was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The birthday cake was decorated with candles and made a very pretty picture when lighted. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Contant, Mr. and Mrs. S. Contant and daughter Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. O. Contant and children, Mrs. F. Van Valkenberg, Miss Emma Fitzgerald and Joe Straley.

Mrs. Groth and daughter, and granddaughter, Miss Myrtle Groth of Jersey City were the guests of Mrs. Groth's sister, Mrs. Charles Bunje this week.

Mrs. Van Valkenberg, Miss Ethel Contant, Miss Emma Fitzgerald, Joe Straley and Fred Schoonmaker drove to Green Park Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fannier are entertaining a number of city friends.

Charles Bunje, our efficient trustee is having some necessary repairs made at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Van Aken and daughter Hester of Kingston were in this place on Wednesday evening.

Red Monograms' Sunday Game.
The Red Monograms will play their first game on their home grounds at McVey's field Sunday, when they line up against the fast Main Street Social Club of Beacon. Battery for Red Monograms, Williams and Speeds; for Beacon, Lord and Devine. Game called at 3:30 p. m. sharp.

Not to Trade Herzig.
By Telegram to the Freeman.
Cincinnati, O., July 8.—August Herrmann, owned by the Reds, flatly denied today that there is any foundation for the rumors that Manager Buck Herzog will be traded to the Cubs.

Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

How are pistons lapped in?

Pistons are lapped in by running the motor by some external power until they are a good working fit, using plenty of oil while doing it. After having assembled the engine the easiest way to drive it is to drive by a belt over the flywheel face. If yours is a motor with a detachable head it is not necessary to put the head on when lapping in the pistons.

Can you tell me the difference between a progressive and selective transmission?

They are both under the general heading of sliding gear transmission. The words "progressive" and "selective" apply to the operator's control. In the progressive type transmission it is necessary in changing gears to pass through the gears in their natural order, but in the selective type it is possible to shift into the gears at random.

Does a mechanical lubricator need any adjusting as to how much oil to feed is needed?

A mechanical lubricator generally has adjustments for each of the individual pumps which force the oil through the independent leads. The adjustment generally controls the length of the pump stroke, which in turn governs the amount of oil fed.

What are the number of degrees off center the valves should open and close to get the best results from the majority of cars?

For the average motor the timing is as follows: Inlet opens 11.5 degrees past upper center; exhaust opens 48.9 degrees before lower center; inlet closes 37.3 degrees after lower center; exhaust closes 6.5 degrees past upper center. This is the result of averaging a great number of engines.

There is a knock in the motor of my car. I took the engine down and put in new bushings, new pins, new rings and new valves and tightened the connecting rods and main bearings. When the spark is advanced a clicking sound is heard, but with it retarded it knocks. The knock is not as noticeable when advanced, but with the spark retarded it makes the engine very hot, and it has not the power that it has when advanced. The lights are connected with the magneto and sometimes when burning the spark is fully retarded the motor does not knock. It will run smoothly for about two miles and then give two or three spark clicks and then stop knocking. Can you tell me the cause of this?

This might be ignition trouble due to improper manipulation of the spark lever. You may be advancing the lever too far to be in proper relation to the speed of the motor. Experience shows the driver of any car where to put his spark for all conditions of travel, and once you have mastered this you will probably not have this knocking. There are extremes to advancing the spark and just as bad extremes to retarding, and it would seem that you work your spark lever too far each way. When running ordinarily there is no need of touching the spark lever. It is only when running at a high speed that you need advance the spark beyond the normal running position, and when you are pulling in heavy places it is time to retard it somewhat, but not too much. When going up hill it is often necessary to bring the spark down a little, but not to the point where there is knocking. Find the best all around running position of the lever and do not change it unless as above. Of course when starting the spark should also be retarded.

There is a slight leak from the bottom of my carburetor. The cork float is good, and the valves appear tight. Can you tell me what is the cause of this and how I can remedy it?

The repair of the leak will depend upon whether or not it is of a permanent nature or merely the condensation of the gasoline in the manifold after stopping the motor. If the gasoline leaks from the carburetor for a short time after the motor is stopped and then stops leaking it is the gasoline which has been drawn up in the manifold condensing and then running back into the carburetor, causing it to overflow. The remedy for this is in the fitting of hot air connections which assist in thoroughly vaporizing all the gasoline. If the leak is a steady one it shows that the cork float is slightly water logged, in which case it will have to be dried out and reshelacked or the valve to the gasoline inlet does not set tightly and will have to be ground in.

You should make sure that the float valve seat and the bowl gasket in the bottom of the bowl are in good condition, with the float at the proper height—that is, one and one-eighth inch from the top of the bowl to the top of the float. If these three points are correct the carburetor will not leak.

Does it harm a battery to let it become fully discharged during the winter months and then have it recharged in the spring?

Yes; this treatment would harm the battery. It should be kept as nearly completely charged as possible during the period that it is out of service.

Will you kindly explain why and how harm will come by using the motor as a brake on hills?

The practice of using the motor as a brake puts more tooth pressure between the gears than occurs when ordinarily driving the car. If you were to turn by hand a train of gears which instead of having a reduction of four to one had, on the contrary, a stepped up ratio of one to four, you would notice the difference in pressure required to turn the gears. It takes the same amount of power applied over the same length of time to bring a car to rest as it does to bring it up to a given speed—that is, the amount of work done is the same. So it is true to state that if the stop is made in the same distance the gear wheels are transmitting the same amount of power. Where the factor of increased tooth pressure enters is that instead of having a reduction to work with of four to one, as in driving a car, the ratio becomes one to four in stopping it. Thus the proposition becomes similar in many respects to two inclined planes. If you had to drive a plane which had a slope of one to four by pressing vertically downward upon it, it would not move nearly as readily as one which had a slope of from four to one, and while this analogy is not accurate, it expresses the condition which occurs when the teeth of the small level gear sustain the pressure that they do when the drive comes through them in an inverse direction. With a worm and gear this analogy is quite accurate.

There is a crack across the center of the driving disk on the friction drive of my car. What might cause this?

The exact cause would be hard to find, but possibly it was due to putting too heavy a load on the drive system, such as pulling out of a deep rut, etc.

I am building a high speed engine, 4 by 6. What is the best timing for the valves? What size flywheel should be used?

Open the exhaust about 45 degrees before bottom center and close at about 10 degrees after top center. Open the inlet a little past top center and close it at about 50 degrees past bottom center. This is merely a suggestion and might not work out as well as some other timing. It would be impossible to state arbitrarily what timing would be best without knowing the engine and experimenting with it. The size of the flywheel would depend on whether it were a four or six and on other considerations. You cannot arbitrarily fix the weight of the flywheel by knowing the bore and stroke.

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In which car does it take the most power to drive, one with the transmission in a unit with the axle or with it mounted midway?

There will be no difference in the economy with any of the three locations of the gear set, except in so far as the number of universal joints is concerned. The fewer the universals the less the friction at this point and the greater the economy theoretically. Consequently a car with one universal, such as found more frequently in the unit plant, should be, theoretically, slightly more economical than those with more universals.

There is a knock in my car. The bearings are tight. The cylinders are three sixty-fourths inch larger one way than the pistons and one thirty-second the other. Would this cause the knock, and, if so, how shall I bore and finish them? The cylinders are four and one-fourth inches in diameter.

This is probably due either to loose rings or to the fact that the cylinders are out of round. It would be strange if there were no noise with the cylinders in this condition. They should be put on a lathe and reground, but you had better take the car to a good garage and have it done by a mechanic who has the equipment and knows how to do such work through experience.

A peculiar condition has arisen after overhauling the motor of my car. Drops of water can be seen clinging to the inside of the discharge pipe of the muffler, and when the motor is running little drops of water are occasionally expelled from the muffler. More water accumulates in the muffler as fast as it is expelled by the exhaust gases.

The motor has been overhauled and cleaned out thoroughly inside. Fresh oil was put in, and there has been no chance for water to become mixed with the lubricating oil. The motor fires perfectly at all speeds. Can you tell me what the trouble might be?

The only cause to which we can ascribe this phenomenon is the formation of water as a product of combustion. It might be, however, that in boring out the valve ports you sprang a very small leak in the wall of the water jacket, due to a thin spit or sand hole, but from what you say this seems a remote possibility.

LAW OF NEW YORK—By Authority.

CHAP. 81.

AN ACT to amend the conservation law, in relation to lands, forests, and public parks.

Became a law May 9, 1916, with the approval of the Governor. Passed, three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Article four of chapter six hundred and forty-seven of the laws of nineteen hundred and eleven, entitled "An act relating to conservation of land, forests, waters, parks, hydraulic power, fish and game, constituting chapter sixty-five of the consolidated laws," as amended by chapter four hundred and forty-four of the laws of nineteen hundred and twelve, chapters five hundred and twenty-two, five hundred and twenty-three, five hundred and twenty-four, five hundred and twenty-five, five hundred and twenty-six, five hundred and twenty-seven, five hundred and twenty-eight, five hundred and twenty-nine, five hundred and thirty, five hundred and thirty-one, five hundred and thirty-two, five hundred and thirty-three, five hundred and thirty-four, five hundred and thirty-five, five hundred and thirty-six, five hundred and thirty-seven, five hundred and thirty-eight, five hundred and thirty-nine, five hundred and forty, five hundred and forty-one, five hundred and forty-two, five hundred and 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TORNADOES CAUSE GREATER DAMAGE; SIX LIVES LOST

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Atlanta, July 8.—A series of tornadoes, storms and torrential rains following in the wake of the Gulf hurricane have done damage to crops, property and roads throughout Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi estimated at \$5,000,000, caused at least six deaths and injury to several score other persons. All of the dead were negroes except an ex-convict who was killed near Bond, Miss., in a washout.

Three were drowned at Birmingham and two near Tuscaloosa.

At Birmingham, Valley Creek and Village Creek spread over surrounding lowlands and residents along the streams had to be rescued.

In Montgomery and surrounding territory, several houses were blown away and many injured. Enormous crop damage has been done throughout Mississippi, Southern Alabama and Georgia.

The precipitation in Atlanta has been 3.80 during the last 24 hours and heavy rain continues. Many sections of roadway have been washed away.

Twenty-four boats, mostly fishermen's craft, are missing from Gulfport, Biloxi, Pascagoula, Bay St. Louis and Ocean Springs and seven motor boats are searching Mississippi Sound for them.

Report From Fort Morgan.

Washington, July 8.—The war department today received an official dispatch from Fort Morgan, Ala., 30 miles from Mobile, saying that the Gulf coast hurricane wrecked a number of buildings and the wharf at the fort, and that the yacht Page and nine yaws were lost. Enough buildings remain to house the 39th Company of Coast Artillery stationed there. No lives were lost.

Port-o-Phone Incorporated.

A certificate of incorporation of the Port-o-Phone Corporation, of the town of Esopus, has been filed with the secretary of state at Albany and in the Ulster county clerk's office. The corporation is organized to manufacture parts of telephone instruments and has a capital of \$100,000, consisting of 1,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each. The directors are Stephen C. Porter, Harry Lever and Joseph S. Baker, all of New York city.

Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat—July 106½, Sept. 109½, Dec. 111½ @ 112.
Corn—July 77½, Sept. 74½ @ 75, Dec. 53½ bid.
Oats—July 39½ @ 40, Sept. 39½, Dec. 41½ bid.

RED CROSS TO AID IN PLAGUE FIGHT

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Washington, July 8.—The American Red Cross announced today that it had decided to press into service as many of its army of 7,000 trained nurses as may be needed, to aid in checking the infantile paralysis epidemic in New York city and other affected centers. This was decided following an urgent appeal for aid from the New York city board of health.

Miss Jane Delano, head of the Red Cross, nursing service, left today for New York to study the situation and detail the nurses. Miss Delano said several hundred trained Red Cross nurses enrolled in Greater New York first will be called.

ODDS AND ENDS.

A lawn party will be held on the lawn of Mrs. William Van Valkenburg, No. 81 Hone street, on Tuesday evening, July 11. Proceeds for the benefit of the fancy booth of the Wurts Street Baptist Church. If stormy the party will be held next evening.

HIGHLAND W. C. T. U. LICENSED.

Incorporation Papers of Society Signed by Judge Rudd.

A certificate of incorporation of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Highland, approved by Judge Rudd, has been filed in the county clerk's office. The directors are Sarah C. Pratt, Frederica DuBois, Elizabeth E. Scofield, Edna M. Mellus and Sarah H. Metcalf. The incorporators, in addition to the five directors mentioned, are Jennie H. Rose, Mary A. Schuhle, Leonora D. Merritt, Anna G. Bloomer, M. Eltinge Maynard, Louella Cornell, Flora Fulton, Sybilla Moule, Sarah P. Bray, Julia Staples, Alice L. F. S. Koons, Phoebe S. Dayton, Adelaide Clearwater, Lottie G. Z. Elting, Nettie B. Fisher, Ella Ferris, Jennie D. Abrams, Dora Schantz, Mary Miller, Elina L. Becker, Jessie C. Sullivan, Viola Constable, Anna M. Maynard and Mary E. Adams, all of whom reside in Highland.

Capital Increase Paid In.

S. H. Kress & Company, an Ulster county corporation, has filed a certificate in the county clerk's office that its capital of seventeen million dollars, sixteen million dollars has been paid in, in property. The directors of the corporation are Samuel H. Kress, Claude W. Kress, Edith H. Kress, Paul D. Scarff, Victor E. Whitlock, Ion C. Holm and Clifford V. Owen.

EMBARGO ON PAPER OBJECT OF BILL

Representative Dillon Proposes Measure to Meet Growing Scarcity and Halt Paper and Pulp Exports.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Washington, July 8.—An embargo on the exportation of paper, paper pulp and pulp products was proposed in a bill introduced in the house today by Representative Dillon of South Dakota as a means of meeting the scarcity of paper in this country. The bill would provide:

"That an embargo is hereby laid on all shipments of print, book, bond, and linen paper, pulp and pulp products to any foreign country."

The bill would authorize the president to raise the embargo by proclamation, when the price of paper products to the consumer in the United States is "fair, reasonable and just." The president will also be authorized to "reimpose the embargo at any time within two years if the price of the products becomes exorbitant, unfair and unjust." Any dealer shipping the embargo products abroad, or any ship owner or master carrying such products abroad would be liable to a penalty of double the amount of the shipment and an additional fine. The bill was referred to the house commerce committee and Dillon declared he would make a strenuous effort to secure action on the measure.

"Prices of paper and paper products in this country," said Representative Dillon, "particularly the price of print paper, have grown to an enormous size. Something must be done to meet the situation and I believe that halting the export of these products would operate to reduce the prices to a reasonable level."

TERRIFIC BATTLE RAGES IN JIMINEZ

Villa Forces Reported to Have Clashed with Superior Force of Carranza Cavalry—May be an Independent Army.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
El Paso, Tex., July 8.—A terrific battle between 800 Villistas and 2,000 Carranza cavalry is in progress a short distance south of Jiminez. The battle began early this morning. This information was officially given the International News Service at noon today by General Francisco Gonzalez, commandant of the Juarez garrison.

The Villistas are commanded by General Calixto Contreras, according to the Mexican authorities.

General Contreras rejoined Villa's command within the past week or two according to American reports. Carranza officials, however, are of the opinion that the general is leading an army of independents. General Gonzalez said word of Contreras's activities had reached de facto officials some time ago and it was on this information that the 2,000 cavalry were sent to the Jiminez district.

Bandits Heading North.

El Paso, Tex., July 8.—A large band of Villista bandits, growing larger as it proceeds, is moving in the direction of Ojinaga, according to advices received here today. These advices stated that the bandits left Falconer late yesterday moving in the direction of Lamula Pass, a cut through the Sierra Grandes Mountains.

Smaller forces of bandits are joining the main force as it moves and desertions from Carranza's garrisons are swelling the ranks. It is understood here the reinforcements are to be rushed from Marfa, Tex., to protect the border opposite Ojinaga. Company K of the Texas National Guard, is stationed at Terlingua, Tex., a short distance east of Ojinaga.

SOCIETY NOTES.

McCarthy-Rines.

At 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, June 28, at the Gardiner Catholic Church, Gertrude E. Rines of Garrettsville and John J. McCarthy of Marlborough were united in marriage by the Rev. John R. Hopkins. Francis McMichols of Milton was best man and Carolyn M. Munnely of Port Ewen attended the bride. After a wedding supper the happy couple left for Philadelphia, where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return they will reside in Marlborough.

Realty Company Shifts Office.

The Marlborough Queens Land Corporation has filed a certificate in the county clerk's office that its principal office and place of business has been changed from Marlborough to Highland. The directors of the corporation are Abraham P. Wilkow, president, Andrew Wright, Jr., secretary, Nathan D. Williams, Lariston D. Mackey, Guernsey S. Mackey, Frank Wilkow, Fred L. Metcalf, Casper H. Ganse and John R. Wood, all of Highland, and Charles P. Kent and Oliver P. Kent, both of Milton.

Corporation Has Dissolved.

A certificate has been filed in the county clerk's office that the Highland Real Estate Owners has filed papers with the secretary of state at Albany for the voluntary dissolution of the corporation under the provisions of the general corporation law.

Another Lure of Publicity.

Many a man donates to some public movement the money he might well have used to pay his butcher, baker, or grocer.—Macon News.

NEGOTIATIONS TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Washington, July 8.—Eliseo Aranda, Mexico's ambassador designate, expects to be commissioned to commence early next week the unofficial negotiations with the state department to settle all points remaining in dispute between the two governments. If present plans are carried out these negotiations will be informal in character. Plans will be suggested and debated at conferences between Acting Secretary Polk and the Mexican diplomatic representatives. When a final agreement is reached the whole thing will be reduced to writing and will then be formally signed and ordered in force. In this way officials believe a better agreement can be reached than by referring each question to Mexico City as fast as it is taken up.

Word reaching here today indicates that the Villista force operating north from Jiminez intends striking at the Big Bend region of Texas where the bulk of the militia organizations are concentrated. It is believed here that Villa, if it is true that he actually is planning the present campaign, does not believe that the militia regiments would prove any very serious obstacle to any raid that he might attempt across the border. Officials say, however, that General Funston is fully cognizant of every move that is being made and will be ready to meet the bandits if they break through the Carranzista line. The United States now is well supplied with secret service agents throughout northern Mexico and are keeping close watch on all suspects. The Villista party comprises only 2,000 men and it is reported short of munitions.

It is understood from now on Carranzista authorities will co-operate with the American border guard in warning of impending raids. With General Obregon personally leading the army that is to be sent against the Villista forces near Jiminez and a rapid patrol of the American frontier established, officials here say they believe it will be only a very short time before all danger of further serious outrages against American territory has passed.

Fish That Sing.

There is a fish called the butterman, which is found off the Scottish coast. This fish, which is fat and comfortable looking, about a foot long as a rule, makes a distinct hooting noise from the back of his throat when landed in a net or caught on a long line. A netful of these fish, though they are rather rare, is sometimes caught, and when they are hauled in the chorus of sharp, siren-like hoots is very startling to a stranger.

But in Ceylon there is a shellfish, a kind of mussel, which positively sings. In still weather when the water has ebbed away from the mussel beds for a few hours these shellfish can be heard producing a long, low, duty sound. How they do it no one knows, but they make a quite distinct attempt at singing, and as they have no throats they must produce the sound by some mechanical means.

Wasted Motions.
Our life is peppered with motions that fly wide and wild. It begins on awaking. We stretch our arms—waste motion! We ought to utilize that gesture for polishing our shoes. We rub our eyes—more foolishness. We should rub our eyes on Sunday for the rest of the week.

But it is in processes like shaving that scientific management is really needed. Men flatter themselves that they shave with the minimum of gesture. But, excusing their inaccuracy, do they know that under the inspection of the scientific manager their performance would look as jagged as their razor blade under the microscope? The day will probably arrive when a superman will shave with one superb motion as delightful to the soul as the unclogging of an orange skin in one long unbroken peel.—New Republic.

Sheep's Two Perquisites.

The sheep is a chunk of misguided animation which is afflicted with a perpetual cold in the head and has the appearance of always needing its nose wiped, but it has the distinction of being the only animal, man not excepted, which can afford to wear strictly all wool clothing the year round. Probably the greatest accomplishment of the sheep is getting itself lost in a snowstorm, at which it is such a success that a number of famous painters have put in a lot of time painting pictures of sheep working at this.—Farm and Fireside.

All False.

Mr. Grimes (with great indignation)—I've finished with that fellow Skinner, absolutely finished with him. He's a bad one. He has a lying tongue in his head. Mrs. Grimes (sympathetically)—Dear me! And only yesterday his wife told me that he had false teeth.—London Tit-Bits.

Speech and Writing.

"Many people talk much more agreeably than they write," said the literary person.

"Yes," replied Mr. Owington. "My tailor does that."—Exchange.

Nothing New.

Wife—Don't you like my new hat, dearest? Husband—Yes, it's all right. Wife—Well, I bought it on your account, dear. Husband—Yes, you usually do!

How She Managed.

Mabel—If your grandma has lost all her teeth how does she eat? Willie—I don't say she had a biting tongue.—Boston Transcript.

By the Faithful Plying of the Shuttle.

of daily duty we weave white raiment for the soul.—Stafford.



MRS. W.G. HOYT & CHILDREN

WOMAN AND HER CHILDREN ROBBED BY MEXICANS.

Mrs. Hoyt and her children were held up by Mexicans said to be soldiers of the de facto government, and robbed of \$375 in cash and nearly \$1,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry. This picture was made when they reached El Paso, after a period of suffering from lack of food.



ROLLED DOWN STOCKING BATHING COSTUMES. ©1916-EMM SERVICE.

ROLLED SOX LATEST BATHING FAD AT ATLANTIC CITY.

Atlantic City's latest fad for the fair mermaids of the water and the sand variety is the rolled sock. The sock reach to the calves and are held up by the "once over" roll. To see the bared calves and knees remind one of nothing so much as a Scotch Highlander's kilts outfit. A trio of sand mermaids wearing the very latest mode in these socks is shown on the beach at Atlantic City.

Tuneful Sheep Bells.

Some wonderful sheep bells used to be made by a blacksmith at Pycombe, a little village on the top of the Sussex down looking over Brighton from the London road. To give a special tone to these bells the blacksmith beat a quantity of brass into the metal of which they were made, not smelting the two together, but simply beating them, so that the brass lies in big flakes in the iron, and this gives a clear, rather metallic tone to the bell. A set of sheep bells numbered about twenty-one and ranged in tone from the big tenor bell, measuring five to six inches across, to quite small, high pitched treble ones.—Country Life.

One Popular Irish Secretary.

Thomas Drummond the best of Irish secretaries and the only English official to whom the Irish people have erected a memorial, counted among his most daring and successful achievements the establishment of the Royal Irish constabulary. All before Drummond had sought to keep the peace by the use of soldiers, but he planned to replace the troops by a police force drawn from the ranks of the Irish peasantry. Officialdom was agast and talked of the possibility of treason, but Drummond had his way, and the British government has never had a more faithful body of servants than the Irish constabulary.—London Chronicle.

Have to Pull Them In.

Ella—There are just as good fish in the sea. Stella—But you have to have a pull to land them.

The Compensation.

"She says hers is an empty life." "Well, he makes up for it. He's always full."—Baltimore American.

Byron's London Home.

No. 189 Piccadilly was, in the year of Waterloo, the home to which, from his bachelor chambers in the Albany, Lord Byron went with his bride, Miss Milbanke. Almost exactly a twelvemonth later Lady Byron quitted the house and never saw her husband again. It was while living there that the two poets, Byron and Scott, met. In a letter to Moore Sir Walter wrote how "report had prepared me to meet a man of peculiar habits and a quick temper," but "I found Lord Byron in the highest degree courteous and even kind." Their meetings, "almost daily," took place at Mr. Murray's in Albemarle street, and once at Long's hotel in Bond street.—London Chronicle.

Repertee.

"You look sweet enough to eat." "I do eat. Where shall we go?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



MISS MABEL VERNON.

Photo by Edmonston, Wash. D.C.

SUFFRAGE LEADER HECKLES PRESIDENT AS PART OF CAMPAIGN.

Washington, July 8.—While speaking at the dedication of the new home of the American Federation of Labor here, President Wilson was heckled by Miss Mabel Vernon, a New York suffrage leader.

It was admitted today at the headquarters of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage that Miss Vernon's action was part of a plan which will be continued "as a demonstration of the growing dissatisfaction with this administration's treatment of the woman suffrage amendment."

Mr. Wilson had declared that, as president, he was not at liberty to think of any one class of persons, when Miss Vernon, who was in the stand directly behind him, rose and said in a shrill voice:

"If you truly desire to serve all classes, why do you block the national suffrage amendment now before congress? Four million women in this country—"

Miss Vernon was pushed back into her seat by the police as the president tried to quiet the uproar that followed. A few moments later Miss Vernon again broke in on Mr. Wilson's speech. She was rushed to the street.

Classified Advertisements

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STATE CONVENTION OPENS ON MONDAY

Luther S. Decker of This City a Member of Nominating Committee

The biennial state Christian Endeavor convention opens in Syracuse on Monday evening. Kingston will be represented at the convention and the local delegates will make every effort to have the next convention in 1918 held in Kingston.

Kingston is honored at this convention by being represented on the nominating committee which selects the officers to be voted for at the convention. This nominating committee is headed by H. A. Kinports of New York city, and the other members are Luther S. Decker of Kingston, Carlton M. Sherwood of Buffalo, C. F. Lawrence of Katonah, and William Kurz of Albany.

WORK AND SAIL

Christian Endeavor Plans Outing for July 25.

An important meeting of the executive committee of the Kingston Local Union of Christian Endeavor was held on Friday evening at which time delegates to the state convention at Syracuse, which opens Monday evening, were instructed to use every effort to have the 1918 convention held in Kingston. It was also decided to hold a meeting at Connelly on Tuesday evening, July 25, going by special yacht leaving the Mary Powell dock at 7.45 o'clock that evening. After a brief service at the Connelly Church, the Christian Endeavorers will enjoy a sail down the river. Ice cream will be sold on board the yacht, and a nominal sum will be charged. A number of routine matters were also discussed and action taken on them.

ASSISTANT AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

The Rev. Father O'Gara Transferred to Kingston.

Among the transfers of Catholic clergymen announced on Friday for the archdiocese of New York was the appointment of the Rev. Martin P. O'Gara from Our Lady of Mercy Church at Fordham, to St. Joseph's Church of this city. This does not mean, however, that the Rev. John H. Briody or his assistant, the Rev. Thomas Brown, were transferred to another parish, but that owing to the increasing size of the St. Joseph's parish Father Briody has been assigned another assistant.

Who Conquered Draw Day.

By Telegram to The Freeman. Washington, July 8.—A bill providing for the collection of information upon which Congress may base legislation to meet the constant advance in the price of gasoline was recommended to the house mines committee.

One Cent Per Word

WANTED.

WANTED.—To buy, second hand clothes. Phone 1600-W.

WANTED.—Boards and roomers. 21 Henry St.

WANTED.—People from all parts of the country to try our famous hot and cold chicken dinners, served daily. Morse & Collins, Katonah.

WANTED.—Recruits, to solicit orders for trees, plants, shrubbery; salary or commission payable weekly. Year round employment. Perry Nurseries, Rochester. Established 21 years.

WANTED.—A young, active partner with \$250 in a safe, profitable business, investment well satisfied. You an address "Rare Opportunity," Uptown Freeman Office.

WANTED.—Old false teeth. We pay up to \$5.00 for old or broken sets. Mail to us and we will make offer. If unsatisfactory will return teeth. Absolutely highest prices for old gold. City Tooth Works, 49 Arcade, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED.—Films for developing and printing; 24 hour service. We do our own work. E. Winter's Sons, John St.

WANTED.—Your developing and printing. Prompt 24 hour service. Satisfaction guaranteed. O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway.

WANTED.—Help. Uptown Employment Agency, 335 Clinton Ave. Tel. 1294-R.

THE Aetna Express Co., Inc. Port Ewen plant has the following positions open:

3 men—American—over 21 years of age, sober and willing; wages \$2.00 to \$2.50 per day, with bonus for good work and faithfulness of 50 per cent more. 5 girls—American—light, clean, neat, good wages for rapid, careful workers; no danger; free transportation to and from plant. 1 temporary stenographer—male; two or more weeks work. Apply at office, half mile below Port Ewen station, on West Shore R. R.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—31 Pearl St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—With or without board.—240 Albany Ave.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—319 Van St. Gentlemen preferred.

FURNISHED ROOM; reasonable. 22 Hennessey St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—37 Clinton Ave.

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ATTACKS STOPPED IS BERLIN CLAIM

By Telegram to The Freeman. Berlin, July 8.—Rejoice of attacks against German positions in both the western and eastern theaters of war was reported today by the war office.

On the Somme river front assaults against the German lines broke down.

On the Verdun front hundreds of French were made prisoners at Froide de Terre.

On the eastern front the army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria repelled attacks of the Russians on both sides of Darovo.

French Continue Thrusts.

Paris, July 8.—Two vigorous thrusts netted the French further progress last night in the fighting on the Somme river front.

In the sector of Belloy-en-Santerre the French made a surprise attack, which was entirely successful.

Further south, in the vicinity of Estrees, an assault with grenades netted the French a gain.

The foregoing was contained in an official communique issued today.

In the sector of Belloy-en-Santerre the French captured 350 prisoners.

There was a continuous cannonade both north and south of the Somme as well as on the Verdun front. At the latter place there were no infantry actions during the night.

Operations are being hindered in Picardy by storms. Despite flooded streams and thick mud the Allies are still attacking violently.

EVENTS THIS EVENING.

Under this head will appear daily a concise calendar of amusements, professional and amateur, lectures, board meetings, etc., provided notice is given, in writing, before 10 a. m. Briefly must be adhered to, and these notices will take the place in future of more verbose announcements.

"The Comeback," photoplay, at Kingston Opera House.

"D'Artagnan," photoplay, at Y. M. C. Auditorium.

Vaudeville and photoplays at Orpheum.

Grange Hall, Lake Katrine, basketball game K. H. S. girls' team vs. K. H. of New York.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Miss Catharine M. Hood died on Sunday night at the residence of George N. LeFevre, High Falls. The funeral was held at the Reformed Church on Wednesday. Miss Hood was about 70 years of age. Her old home was in the Middletown neighborhood where her father, Jesse Hood and his ancestors had lived for generations.

The remains of the late Garrison N. Davis, who died at his home in Brooklyn on Thursday, will be brought to Kingston on the 1:50 o'clock West Shore train on Sunday afternoon, and the funeral will take place from the funeral chapel of A. Carr & Son, corner of Pearl street and Clinton avenue, at 2:30 o'clock. The service will be conducted by the Rev. L. L. Osterhout, who was a close personal friend of Mr. Davis. The interment will be in Wiltwyck cemetery.

Barge Canal Progress.

By Telegram to The Freeman. Utica, July 8.—Next spring the barge canal will be finished as far west as Utica and one year later it will be completed all the way to Buffalo. This statement was made here today by State Engineer Williams on an inspection trip over the route of the long ditch.

No Brush With Militia?

By Telegram to The Freeman. Albany, July 8.—Attorney General Woodbury has interested himself in the claims made by John Adams Gebhardt, Jr., of the Ninth C. D. C., Sixteenth Company that he was discharged as a painter because he joined the National Guard. He resides in New York city.

In Surrogate's Court.

In the surrogate's court today in the estate of James J. McGovern of this city a petition for a judicial settlement was filed by Mary T. McGovern, the administratrix, and a citation was issued returnable July 17. William H. Grogan appeared for the petitioner.

DIED.

LAMBERT.—At New Salem, N. Y., July 5, 1916, Ira Lambert, aged 81 years.

Funeral from his late residence on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in St. Remy Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

To the Officers and Members of Round Lodge, No. 343, F. & A. M.

Brethren—You are fraternally requested to attend the funeral of Brother Ira Lambert from his late residence at New Salem, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Brethren will meet at the lodge rooms at 1:30 sharp. Interment with Masonic ceremonies at St. Remy Cemetery.

Conveyances will be provided. Fraternally, FRANK H. KELLEY, Master.

Attention Roundout Commandery, No. 52, K. T. You are fraternally requested to attend the funeral of Ira Lambert, a member of this Commandery, at his late residence at St. Remy, on Sunday, July 9, at 2:30 p. m. Sir Knights will meet at the assembly, corner Broadway and Strand, at 1 p. m., in full Templar uniform. Conveyances will be provided.

BRITISH TIGHTEN GERMAN BLOCKADE

By Telegram to The Freeman. London, July 8.—An order in council was issued today withdrawing all preceding orders made under the Declaration of London and issued since the war began. This action was taken in accordance with England's determination to tighten the blockade of Germany.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Miss Elsa Stern of Hone street is visiting her parents in Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Helen Wood is enjoying a two weeks' sojourn at camp at Lake Katrine.

Mrs. Frank Cramer of No. 75 Hasbrouck avenue is visiting friends in Hoboken, N. J.

Miss Esther Rodie of this city is spending two weeks as the guest of friends in Marlborough.

Mrs. Smith Barnard of No. 321 Broadway has gone to Asbury Park where she will spend a week.

Miss Matilda Leverich is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. George E. DuBois, at Oswego.

Mrs. William J. Auchmoody, Mrs. Charles Lord and Mrs. Elva M. Eckert are at Asbury Park, N. J.

Mrs. Irving N. Avery of No. 102 Clinton avenue, is spending two weeks with friends in New York city.

William Conklin of Jersey City is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Winfield at their home on Lucas turnpike.

Miss Dorothy Brown will leave town tomorrow evening for Michigan, where she will spend the summer with her grandparents.

Miss Margaret Martin and friend from Cornwall are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Martin at 630 Broadway.

Mrs. William Van Bramer, Jr., and children have returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. E. M. Eckert, 94 Downs street.

L. W. Gimbord, salesman for the N. B. Co., of Bridgeport, Conn., spent some time recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Eckert.

Miss Jessie Barton of No. 102 Clinton avenue, who has been attending the Kingston high school, has returned to her home in Poughkeepsie.

The Misses Deudney of Broadway have left town for the summer, expecting to visit Alexandria Bay, Thousand Islands, the White Mountains and Maine.

Mrs. R. R. Kitchen and children, Flora and Ross, of Wheeling, West Va., are visiting Mrs. Kitchen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Van Graveness, of Henry street.

Miss Eileen Keefe of Washington visited last week at Plattsburg and after a short visit there will go to the Catholic Summer School at Cliff Haven for the summer.

Miss Hilda Raichle, a graduate of the stenographic department of Spencer's Business School, has secured a position as stenographer and typist with the L. B. Van Wageningen Company, Wall street, this city.

Louis Schmidtkonz, student at the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Mt. Airy, in Philadelphia, Pa., is at home with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. A. Schmidtkonz, 72 Hone street.

Joseph Manning is visiting his parents on Spring street after spending seven months in a Newark, N. J., hospital. While working for the A. D. Telegraph Co. he met with an automobile accident. His many friends in Kingston hope in time he will fully recover.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

Zephaniah Lodge, No. 131, I. O. B. B., will meet on Sunday at 518 Broadway.

Kingston Lodge, No. 321, I. O. B. B., will meet on Sunday in the Hebbrew free school building.

St. Barbara's Ladies' Auxiliary of the Knights of St. John, No. 76, will meet on Sunday in St. Peter's Hall.

Local, No. 63, International Union of Brewery Workmen, will meet Sunday at 53 Broadway.

Major Thomas Cornell Lodge, No. 765, B. of L. F. and E., will meet on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in Measter's Hall, 635 Broadway.

Mrs. B. M. Robins of Main street and granddaughter, Miss Emily B. Bartsch, left town on Friday for an extended visit with the former's son, Attorney John B. Robins, of Crisfield, Maryland.

Miss Celeste Keefe, who has been at her home on Washington avenue for two weeks, left today for Burlington, Vermont, to complete her examinations and after visiting there and at Plattsburg will go to the Catholic Summer School at Cliff Haven for the season.

Bouquet to Lulu Ladies.

Members of Lulu Temple of Philadelphia held a meeting at the Eagle Hotel at noon today and Judge Van Ethen of the Kingston Shriners' Association presented a flower token representing the Shrine emblem to the ladies who accompanied the members. Noble Paul Huyett responded in behalf of the members of Lulu Temple.

Not to Save Sir Roger.

By Telegram to The Freeman. Washington, July 8.—All chances for adoption of Senator Martin's resolution requesting President Wilson to intercede in behalf of Sir Roger Casement were killed today when the senate foreign relations committee declined to act on the measure.

"A Delightful Place to Visit in New York in"

The John Wanamaker Store

(where so many diversions are provided for the enlightenment and entertainment of its patrons is) the group of salons known as *Au Quatrième*, writes a correspondent in The Morning Telegraph, New York.

"This designation, *Au Quatrième*, sounds more fascinating than its literal translation 'at the fourth floor'; but the exhibit itself beggars description, and many new things have been added this season; so do not fail to pay an early visit to these fourth floor little shops of rare atmosphere, you who are interested in antique or modern art objects; fine old glass and china; beautiful art novelties collected here and abroad; and unique furnishings for the home, the inspiration for which has been drawn from all quarters of the globe.

"The art objects have been consistently assembled and each cabinet holds its harmonious group of treasures.

"In one salon, there is a liberal display of early Eighteenth Century wares, exquisite glass and china in old English designs.

"Another corner is given to French period bibelots and here one may find charming reproductions in designs and styles of the Seventeenth century. I saw some lovely French porcelain ink wells here, with ornate metal tops; some with pen trays and others with space to hold upright a scolding wax stick and candle.

"Beautiful flower-holders are shown in a variety of novel designs; and there are lovely reproductions of Venetian glass beakers and compotes in amber, amethyst, violet and green.

"Oh, I almost forgot the picturesque boudoir and sofa pillows, quaint bed covers copied after Colonial designs, and the out-of-ordinary negligees, caps, slippers and such things.

"And I know I have missed many things precious worth while; so I shall have to return.

"You, too, will return time and time again after the first visit. Once heard, the call of *Au Quatrième* is irresistible."

Broadway at Ninth Street, New York

SATURDAY, JULY 8, 1916.

Sun rises, 4:36; sets, 7:33.
Weather, fair. Humidity, 50 to 73.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 59 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 88 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, July 8.—Eastern New York fair, cooler tonight. Sunday fair; cooler in east portion; moderate northwest to north winds.

MISTAKE MADE A THRILLING NIGHT

Nocturnal Adventures of Chauffeur Who Rescued Wrong Car and Narrowly Escaped Punishment at Hands of Owner.

Making a mistake in running the wrong car into Kingston the other night caused a driver for a local garage to spend a rather strenuous night of it, according to the tale that is going the rounds. It seems that a telephone call was sent in to one of the garages that a car had broken down on the state road near West Hurley and the driver was sent out with the wrecker to tow it into town for repairs.

Things began to happen right after that. The rescuer found a car standing alongside the road near Fischer's Hotel and, finding nothing serious was the matter with it, the driver drove it back to Kingston. As he turned into the garage the night man met him and said: "Boy you have got the wrong car there. I just got a telephone message from the hotel, and you will have to take it right back."

The driver dismounted at the mistake he had made, hurried the car back toward the point where he had found it. He had nearly reached the scene when a flashlight was turned on him from the side of the road where two men stood.

As the chauffeur stopped the car, one of the men took off his coat saying, "Now, young man you will have to take a good licking."

Two in one had no pleasures for the driver and heged in on both sides, he turned and took a flying leap out of the car and landed in the road picked himself up and dashed on into the woods.

As he ploughed through the woods he lost the two men in the dark, but they jumped into the car and ran it up and down the road for some time making the driver would emerge from the woods onto the state road.

The driver was fussy, however, and kept to the woods, and headed toward what he thought was the general direction of Kingston. In the dense darkness, he lost his way and spent the night vainly seeking a road to town which he reached about one o'clock next morning.

It might be added that the car that should have been brought into Kingston for repairs lay about three miles further on from the place where he found the car that was not damaged. There is no question but that in the time one chauffeur will be more careful when sent out after a car that has broken down.

BUSINESS NOTICES

Eastman Kodaks, Films and Supplies. CONNELLY DRUG CO., corner Broadway and Strand.

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The Freeman is on sale each evening by 10:30 at Hoteling's News Stand, north end Times Building, 43rd street and Broadway, New York city. This stand remains open until midnight.

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MENKE'S DAILY SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)

New York, July 8.—The Empire state has been fleeced once again, this time through the medium of the Moran-Dillon bout of a week or so ago.

According to the figures turned in to the state boxing commission's office, the total paid attendance was 6,396, and the total receipts \$28,521. The state gets 7½ per cent of the gross receipts from all pugilistic entertainments within its confines. The state's share for the Dillon-Moran go was exactly \$2,139.07.

Just how much more the state actually should have received will remain a mystery. But the fact is indisputable that the state was defrauded of some of its just percentage. Dishonest ticket takers and dishonest ushers, attempting to fatten their own bankrolls, mulcted the commission and the promoters out of thousands of dollars.

Men who have estimated crowds for years, and with remarkable correctness, are a unit in declaring that the attendance at the fight was 13,000 at the very least. Many sporting authorities approximated the crowd between 15,000 and 18,000, while others went to 20,000.

Ringside Box \$1.75.

The official figures show that the paid part of that crowd numbered exactly 6,396. As far as we have been able to determine, the promoters distributed about 600 complimentary tickets, which would account for 7,000 of the spectators.

How about the other 6,000?

Well, this may answer it.

Two men who saw that fight met afterward and exchanged notes.

"What sort of seat did you have?"

One of them asked.

"Pretty good one," was the reply.

"I paid \$6 for it."

"You were a boob," laughed the other.

"I got a ringside box seat for \$1.75."

"How did you do it?"

"Slipped a guy at the gate 50 cents and he let me into the park," was the answer.

"By tipping ushers 25 or 50 cents here and there, I got into a box seat. Hundreds of other fellows did the same thing, only some of them didn't get into the boxes. They were content to sit in the grandstand."

The story above is but a duplicate of a dozen others that have come to us since the night of the fight; tales of how a bit of "palm greasing" enabled spectators to get into the park and into choice seats for one-fifth or one-tenth of the fixed price. Is it any wonder that there is such a big discrepancy between the official attendance and the actual?

Echoes Brighton Beach Scandals.

The Moran-Dillon affair, as regards the flimflam of the state out of its full dues, duplicates the McFarland-Gibbons fiasco in Brighton Beach last summer. The estimated attendance there was around 45,000. The prices ranged from \$1 to \$5, averaging only \$2.25 per head—a low one indeed—it meant estimated receipts in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

The state, however, was paid its tax on an approximate attendance of only 26,000 and receipts of \$58,000—about only a third less than half the lowest official estimates. At the time the state boxing authorities felt that the so-called official figures were wrong. They investigated and found that the state had been cheated through the laxity of some ticket collectors and the dishonesty of others.

Up to that time, the state's share was figured by totalling up the number of tickets collected at the gates. It was found after that fight that thousands of tickets had not been taken up. The state lost its rightful share on each one of those tickets. Furthermore, many ticket takers and ushers, upon receipt of 50 cents or so, closed their eyes, and let folks slip into the park or into the choice ringside seats.

To Balk Cheats in Future.

Hoping to forestall any loss by the state through failure to collect tickets, Fred Wenck, chairman of the state boxing commission, put turnstiles into the park for the Dillon-Moran battle. The state's tax, he figured, should be paid on the turnstile count. But when the fight was over no turnstile count was available for some reason not clear to Wenck. The state had to accept its tax on the statement turned in through the promoters—figures that showed the receipts to be just about half of what they were figured to be by men who rarely fumble in their guesses.

And, in the meantime, Wenck and his associates are doing a bit of sleuthing, which may result in exposing some crooks to the naked eye. Also it may bring about drastic changes on ticket collections in the future; the adoption of a rule placing all entrance rates at big fights in the hands of state appointees, who will see to it that grafting is stopped.

Red Cross Contributions.

Contributions to the Red Cross fund as received until Friday were \$155, undesignated, \$7; making a total of \$162. The following additional contributions have been received for the civilian relief fund: Nurses of the Kirchner home, \$10; Dr. Fred Snyder, \$5; Carl Fehmer, \$10; Mrs. Jennie Noone O'Leary, \$25.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

LUNCH BOXES.

Picnic sets, wax paper, ice cream dishes, paper doilies, table cloths, napkins, drinking cups, towels, pie plates, sanitary lunch sets, etc. O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway.

Elmer Palen will have at his sale Tuesday, July 12, a car load of western horses in addition to 75 head second handed horses at 58c-65c Broadway. Sale rain or shine.

WHEN THE

Occasion occurs for you to use something nice in flowers, why not call on VALENTIN BERGVEIN, INC., Fair and Main streets.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday in the Big League.

League games yesterday resulted as follows:

American League.

New York, 4; Chicago, 3 (12 innings).
Detroit, 9; Philadelphia, 2.
St. Louis, 5; Washington, 0.
Boston, 2; Cleveland, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	43	27	.614
Cleveland	40	31	.563
Boston	39	31	.557
Chicago	37	32	.536
Washington	37	34	.521
Detroit	37	36	.507
St. Louis	31	41	.431
Philadelphia	17	49	.258

National League.

Pittsburgh, 5; New York, 2.
Brooklyn, 4; Cincinnati, 3.
Chicago, 1; Boston, 0.
Philadelphia, 1; St. Louis, 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	40	26	.614
Philadelphia	36	29	.554
Pittsburgh	33	29	.532
Chicago	36	36	.500
New York	31	34	.477
Pittsburgh	32	36	.471
St. Louis	33	40	.452
Cincinnati	29	41	.414

International League.

Rochester, 8; Newark, 7 (14 innings).
Buffalo, 7; Providence, 3, (first game).
Buffalo, 7; Providence, 6 (second game).

Toronto, 4; Richmond, 3 (11 innings).
Montreal, 5; Baltimore, 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Providence	37	26	.587
Buffalo	34	26	.567
Baltimore	35	29	.551
Richmond	31	31	.500
Montreal	30	33	.476
Newark	30	34	.465
Toronto	26	30	.463
Rochester	22	37	.373

Games Scheduled Today.

National League.

New York at Pittsburgh, clear.

Brooklyn at Cincinnati, clear.
Boston at Chicago, clear.
Philadelphia at St. Louis, clear.

American League.

Chicago at New York, clear.
Detroit at Philadelphia, clear.
St. Louis at Washington, clear.
Cleveland at Boston, clear.

International League.

Newark at Rochester, cloudy, 2 games.
Providence at Buffalo, clear, 2 games.
Richmond at Toronto, cloudy, 2 games.

State League.

Saratoga at Utica, clear, 2 games.
Harrisburg at Binghamton, clear, 2 games.
Wilkes-Barre at Syracuse, cloudy.
Albany at Elmira, part cloudy.

Hot Liners.

(By Frank G. Menke.)
Where's the Polo Grounds hoodoo? The Yankees don't seem to be bothered with it.

The Pirates flayed Anderson's shoots and the Giants lost their first game on the western trip this season.

The Red Sox are living up to their reputation of "speed boys."

The Yankees and Brooklyn are widening the gap between the first and second teams.

Walter Johnson had to bow to the superior pitching of "Old Man" Plank.

Those pesky Tigers are cavorting in great glee with the Athletics.

King Alexander had to shut out the Cardinals to win.

So did Packard of the Cubs in the game with the Braves. And he nearly got in the Hall of Fame, Stallings' band only getting one hit.

Search Over Sing Sing.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Ossining, July 8.—Search is being made for Joseph Armstrong, a negro convict, who escaped last night from Sing Sing prison, where he was serving a forty year sentence. In the belief that Armstrong was hiding somewhere in the prison the institution was searched all night by one hundred prison officers.

No. 26 The Aviator Says:

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Real linen, full length set in sleeve or regular shoulder. A protection from the dust when motoring or driving. Will launder perfectly excellent. Value these at \$4.50 and \$4.97

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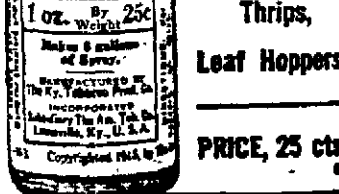
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